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Congress Convening Today Has Unusual Problem to Solve

National and International Questions To Tax Endurance of Solons During the Short Terms Beginning Today

WILSON'S FATE DEPENDS UPON SESSION

SENATORS BEGINNING NEW TERMS.

DEMOCRATS—Beckham, Ky.; Broussard, La.; Chamberlain, Ore.; Clarke, Ark.; Fletcher, Fla.; Gore, Okla.; Husting, Wis.; Johnson, S. D.; Newlands, Nev.; Overman, N. C.; Phelan, Cal.; Shiveley, Ind.; Smith, S. C.; Smith, Ga.; Smith, Md.; Smith, Ariz.; Stone, Mo.; Thomas, Col.; Underwood, Ala. Total, 19.

REPUBLICANS—Brady, Ida.; Brandegee, Conn.; Cummins, Ia.; Curtis, Kan.; Dillingham, Vt.; Gallinger, N. H.; Gronna, N. D.; Harding, O.; Jones, Wash.; Penrose, Pa.; Sherman, Ill.; Smoot, Utah; Wadsworth, N. Y. Total, 13.

REPRESENTATIVES WHO CAME BACK.

Cannon, Ill.; Hill, Conn.; McKinley, Ill.; Longworth, O.; Sulloway, N. H.; McDermott, Ill.; Wilson, Ill.; Foss. Ill.; Fuller, Ill.; Sterling, Ill.; Rodenberg, Ill.; Loud, Mich.; Dyer, Mo.; Shallenberger, Neb.; Hollingsworth, O.; Focht, Pa.; Miller, Pa.; Crago, Pa.; Lafean, Pa.; Littlepage, W. Va. Total, 20.

HOUSE VETERANS AMONG THE MISSING.

Payne, N. Y., (died;) Bartlett, Ga.; Calder, N. Y.; Bulkley. O.; Neeley, Kan.; Burke, Pa.; Burke, S. D.; Donovan, Conn.; Metz, N. Y.; Henry George, Jr., N. Y.; Prouty, Ia.; Ainey, Pa.; Levy, N. Y.; Bartholdt, Mo.; Knowland, Cal.; Floyd, Ark.; Beall, Tex.; Stevens, Minn.; Palmer, Pa.; Stanley, Ky. Total, 20.

SENATE CHANGES.

NEW—Beckham, Ky., D.; Broussard, La., D.; Curtis, Kan., R.; Harding, O., R.; Husting, Wis., D.; Johnson, S. D., D.; Phelan. Cal., D.; Underwood, Ala., D.; Wadsworth, N. Y., R.

RETIRED—Camden, Ky., D.; Thornton, La., D.; Bristow, Kan., R.; Burton, O., R.; Stephenson, Wis., R.; Crawford, S. D., R.; Perkins, Cal., R; White, Ala., D.; Root, N. Y., R.

THE LINE UP.

SENATE—Democrats, 56; Republicans, 40; Democratic majority, 16.

HOUSE—Democrats, 230; Republicans, 196; Progressives, 7; Socialists, 1; Independents, 1. Democratic majority, 25.

Washington. Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—The first session of the 64th congress convened at noon today in the last congressional meeting before the 1916 presidential campaign. All 435 members of the house and thirty-two senators, (one-third of the whole senate,) were sworn in. Of the former, 116, of the latter, 9, were new.

Resting upon the legislative program of the new congress today was the shadow of national and world politics. Tomorrow the administration's program will be outlined personally by President Wilson when he reads his opening message to the joint session. Its known, big, outstanding features are: National defense, revenue, war measures and government ship purchase.

There is a mass of other legislati... comprising the largest, longest an... most important program of a decade. Since adjournment of the 63d con... ... score of new ... ... have arisen in addi... ...ver. Continuation ... into next summer ... legislators. ... ...s in both senate and house galleries, representing the eyes of a hundred million Americans. Today's actual business was confined to the routine of swearing in new members, organization of both houses and notification of the president of the new legislative epoch.

As the gavels fell at the stroke of 12 at both ends of the capitol, officials and spectators were sobered by the gigantic tasks looming ahead. Vice-President Marshall presided in the senate and South Trimble, house clerk, in the lower body pending Speaker Clark's election. After the routine tasks both bodies adjourned until tomorrow to await the President's message, according to ancient and legal precedent.

As complemented today, the result of congressional elections in November, 1914, the Democratic majority in the senate was increased from 15 to 16. In the house it was reduced from 143 to 25. The new senate line up today was: Democrats, 56; Republicans, 40. The new house: Democrats, 230; Republicans, 196; Progressives, 7; Socialists, 1; Independents, 1. The last house had 286 Democrats; 125 Republicans, 17 Progressives and one Independent. For the first time since the 62nd congress the Socialist party was again represented today, Meyer London, of New York, being the member.

Re-election of President Wilson and continued Democratic control of the nation's destinies was conceded by most legislators to hang upon the results of this session. Political flavor was added to the day by the presence in Washington of the Democratic National Committee, which meets tomorrow to decide the time and place of the 1914 Democratic national convention. A week later the Republican National Committee meets here for the same purpose. The reconvening of congress was heralded among all party leaders as marking the opening of the 1916 political campaign.

Both legislative and political interest centered in the administration's billion-dollar national defense program. Whether Democratic opposition would defeat the president's plans and also cause a breach in Democratic solidarty for the next campaign, caused much discussion. Chairmen of the naval and military committees had the bills practically drafted and ready for early introduction.

Presentation to congress today of the annual appropriation estimates insured another billion dollar congress. Increased expenditures for the navy and army preparedness program bulged the requests.

Unusual spectacular features of today's opening ceremonies offset the undertone of profundity. Woman suffrage workers stormed the capitol. Galleries were ablaze with yellow pennants. In corridors and offices, workers buttonholed congressmen. The return to public life today of many Republican political warhorses was another feature. Among those who came back were: Uncle Joe Cannon, Nick Longworth, Cy Sulloway, of New Hampshire, Senator Curtis, of Kansas, and representatives Hill, of Connecticut, McKinley, Sterling and Rodenberg, of Illinois, and Loud of Michigan.

Gallery habitues miss many familiar faces, including those of former senators Root, Burton, Bristow ... Uncle Ike Stephenson; and those representatives Payne, Calder, B...thodt, Floyd, of Arkansas, Levy ... New York, Palmer, of Pennsylvan... Donovan, of Connecticut and Stanl... of Kentucky, now governor.

Among others commanding popular attention were: Representat... Schall, of Minnesota, the only bl... member of the house; Meyer Lond... the sole Socialist, and Representati... Martin, of Louisiana, a Progressiv...

An avalanche of bills, resoluti... and petitions swamped both sen... and house clerks. There were th... ...nds of the bills, on every conce... ...e legislative subject. Especia... ...cable were those proposing va... ...s war measures. The governm... printing office will be unable ... handle the landslide of docume... for several days.

There was the usual scramble ... seats to view the opening. The ... gallery crush was terrific. An hour before the session opened, practically every seat was filled. The ... opened at 10 A. M., with long

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DIFFERENT TYPES OF AERIAL BOMBS USED BY FRENCH AVIATORS. THE LARGEST IS USED FOR INCENDIARY PURPOSES

DEPARTED MEMBERS EULOGIZED BY THE LOCAL ELK LODGE

Impressive Ceremonies Held In Lodge Room Sunday Afternoon at 2:30 O'clock

A. L. Cole Orator of the Day—John A. Stock Reads Eulogy for Fourteen Members of Fraternity.

In a solemn and impressive memorial service at the Elk's lodge yesterday afternoon, the memory of fourteen departed brothers of the order was eluogized in fitting ceremonies by members of the lodge in the presence of a large gathering of friends.

A. L. Cole, of Clearfield, delivered the memorial address, taking the place of Col. Hugh Taylor, of Bellefonte, who was unavoidably absent. Mr. Cole dwelt upon the high purposes of the lodge, and visibly impressed his auditors with his exposition of the true spirit animat...ing the organization. He was introd...uced by A. M. Liveright.

John A. Stock delivered the eulogy for the four members of the order who died during 1915, Walter McJunkin, Aaron P. Duff...on, S. T. Orcutt, and John C. Smit...n, and for John Chapman, who die...d in November, 1914, but whose dea...th was not known to the local order when memorial services were last h...eld. Mr. Stock's tribute to the depa...rted was feelingly delivered, and w...ell illustrated the beautiful feature of Elkdom which commands that

"The fa...ults of our brothers
We ... write upon the sands,
Their ... virtues upon the tablets,
O...f love and memory."

Spec...al musical numbers were given by Thayer's orchestra and Miss Mar...y Mitchell sang a sacred selection in her own splendidly effective ma...ner.

The following program was given:

M...arch, Funebre, from Sonata, Op. 35 — Chopin
Susquehanna College of Music Orchestra—H. Clark Thayer, Director
Sacred Selection, Scenes from Romeo & Juliet — Gounod — Orchestra
Opening ceremonies — Officers and Members of Clearfield Lodge No. 540, B. P. O. E.
Singing opening ode — Orchestra and Members
Invocation — Rev. J. F. John
Solo — Selected — Miss Mary Mitchell;
Accompanist, Miss Martha Iiames
Memorial Address Col. Hugh Taylor — Bellefonte Lodge B. P. O. E.
Eulogy .... John A. Stock — Clearfield Lodge, B. P. O. E.
Intermezzo, (a) In the Candle Light
(b) Twilight Chimes — Thayer's Orchestra
Closing services — Officers and Members of the Lodge.
Doxology — Rev. Joseph F. John
The Stars and Stripes Forever Sousa — Thayer's Orchestra

GARDNER WANTS WAR AND PEACE PARTYS INVESTIGATED

Massachusetts Congressman Would Dispose of "Ulterior Motive" Stories

Washington. Dec. 6. (By United Press) —Congressional investigations of both preparedness and peace propaganda, including the Navy League and American Defense Society was proposed in a house resolutoin presented today by Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, leading preparedness advocate. ...

HENRY FORD LAYS PLANS FOR PACIFYING EUROPE

Names "Peace Committees" From Apostles on Board Oscar II

BY CHARLES K. STEWART
United Press Staff Correspondent

Aboard Peace Ship, via wireless. Dec. 6. — Henry Ford today set in motion the machinery by which he hopes to "bring the boys out of the trenches." Ford began organizing peace committees from groups of clergymen, students, and other classes aboard the peace ship. Even the newspaper men were drafted into service.

Each of these committees will meet a corresponding committee from a neutral country at the coming peace conference. They will work together in crossing an international commission to sit for the remainder of the war and offer peace suggestions. The committee's business primarily will be to give the widest possible publicity to peace suggestions in contrast to the secret methods of diplomats. The international peace commission probably will sit in Copenhagen instead of The Hague because of better cable facilities.

NEW POCKET BILLIARD ROOM OPENED IN DENNING BLOCK

Messrs. Edwards and Davis have opened a new pocket billiard room in the Denning block which is one of the completest establishments of the kind in the country. Four new pocket billiard tables have been installed in a well lighted and ventilated room, which has been remodelled to accommodate the new enterprise. Careful and courteous attention to the wants of patrons insures the new parlor a liberal patronage. Complete furnishings of the Brunswick-Balke-Collendar company make the place very attractive to visitors.

LARGE BUCK KILLED THIS MORNING AT GOSHEN CAMP

The Goshen Gun and Rod camp this morning secured the largest deer which has been reported killed this year by local hunters. It is a four pronged buck weighing about 190 pounds.

MINER BREAKS BACK AT CURWENSVILLE SATURDAY

A foreigner by the name of Olson of Sandy Bottom near Curwensville while working in the clay mine of the Bickfkord Fire Brick company had his back broken by the falling of some loose clay, Saturday morning. The injured immediately received medical attention and was taken to his home, where he is reported much improved.

DECEMBER TERM OF COURT CONVENES THIS MORNING

Sixty Nine Cases n the List Including Two Clearfield Cases

The December term of criminal court convened this morning with Judge Bell presiding. There are 69 cases on the list, most of which are of minor importance, the defendants, mostly being charged with larceny. Only two Clearfield cases are found on the list, that of Roy Smith and Edwar Endress, both charged with numerous thefts of chickens.

Most of the day was taken up going over the list and deciding upon the time that each case will be brought up and also picking the grand jury. This afternoon the grand jury was sworn in and started on their work of deciding whether or not the charge against each defendant is a true one.

About two hundred people from all sections of the county are in attendance at this court, most of them having been subpeoned either as witnesses or for jury service.

EXCELLENT TALENT SECURED FOR THIS YEAR'S INSTITUTE

Evening Entertainments to Be Especially Interesting and Instructive

In Securing Talent Two Things Were Kept in Midn—Ability to Instruct and to Inspire Prof. Yoder Will Again Direct the Music.

The Fifty-second annual session of the Clearfield County Teacher's Institute will be held in the New Opera house here, December 20-24. In securing the talent for the week, the committee in charge have tried to get men with both ability to instruct and to inspire, who through the presentation of a greater knowledge and the application of correct methods, will greatly enlarge the vision of all those who attend.

The personnel of the program is made up of instructors and entertainers, with wide-spread reputations as both interesting and instructive speakers. The evening entertainments are especially good this year and will prove very profitable to all those who avail themselves of the opportunity of attending.

The instructors of the week who will speak at the morning and afternoon sessions are forcible speakers and come to this town highly recommended. Dr. Charles H. Judd, of Chicago, Mae E. Schrieber, of Boston, Mass., Harlan E. Hall, of Cumberland, Ohio and Prof. J. W. Yoder of Huntingdon, Pa., will be the instructors of the week.

Monday evening the Weber Male quartette will furnish the entertainment, with a repertory as varied as their audiences. This quartette when it appeared before the Pennsylvania State-Educational association aroused such enthusiasm that it became practically a sensation. The quartette is unwearied in their search for interesting novelties, and will render some of the old favorites, sometimes, in new garb, besides many new and unique numbers which have never been presented by any other company.

Tuesday evening Dr .Edward Amherst Ott will deliver his most interesting and educational address, "The Haunted House," a practical study in sanity, which will be specially valuable to anyone wishing to improve their own condition. Mr. Ott is the author of several successful books and the inventor of many labor-saving devices and for these reasons, he has a right to speak of creative imagination.

Wednesday evening Prof. Montraville M. Wood, the well known inventor and scientist, assisted by his daughter, Miss Allene M. Wood, will present a demonstrated lecture on the gyroscvope, mo...rail car, the ultra-violet ray and many other scientific demonstrations. This lecture will be especially interesting and unique as not one person in a thousand in this country have had the opportunity of witnessing any of these important demonstrations.

Thursday evening "The American Girls" company will give a concert, in which the Indian girl, the Puritan girl, the Colonial girl, the Pioneer girl, grandmother as a girl and our modern girl, will be portrayed in correct manner and costume with music appropriate to her period, played and sung.

Grover McCorkle of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCorkle, of Wolf Run.

Germany Hurries To Frustrate Rnssian Attack in Roumania

105th Legion Moves To Roumanian Border----Greek King Expected to Accede to All Demands of Allies

SERBS ARE RETIRING INTO BORD...

CHINESE REVOLT AGAINST PROPOSED NEW MONARCHY

Rebels Seize Ship in Shanghai, But Are Put Down by the Regulars

Pekin, Dec. 6. (By United Press)— An attempt to launch a revolutionary movement at Shanghai has been promptly suppressed and the rebels imprisoned, according to official dispatches received here today. The Chinese cruiser Chac-ho has been recaptured from the mutineers who have been placed in irons and will be executed. Land forces easily repulsed an attempted surprise attack on the Shanghai arsenal.

The rebels. Shanghai dispatches state, admitted that their purpose was to start an anti-monarchial movement. When they captured the Chao-ho they expected the crews of other war ships in the harbor to follow them. At the same time it was planned to capture the government arsenal. Both plans miscarried. At daybreak today the land batteries and guns of other warships were trained on the cruiser with threats to sink here. The mutineers then surrendered.

PROFESSOR PREDICTS WORLD WIDE COTTON FAMINE

Urges Great Britain to New Fields in India, Egypt and Soudan

(United Press Correspondence.)

London, Nov. 2.—(By Mail.)—A world-wide cotton famine will follow the close of the war, according to Prof. John A. Todd, department of economics, University College, Nottingham. He urges Great Britain to develop new fields in India, Egypt and the Soudan. He reasons that the temporary fall in prices at the beginning of the war curtailed cotton production and that the renewed demand at the close of the war, combined with a short acreage, will cause the famine. Russia, he says, has shown her wisdom in developing cotton fields in Turkestan and Trans-Caucasia, which adequately supply her. Germany has done the same thing in the Levant to a certain extent. Both the quality and quantity of cotton for Great Britain can be added to in India, Egypt and the Soudan, he says, adding that cotton growing is a good business to get into now.

LOCAL SPORTSMEN KILL LARGE NUMBER OF DEER

Crowds Make Display of Bags in Front of Camps

Local sportsmen, who invaded our native deer covers yesterday had the pleasure of viewing one of the largest bags made of big game season. A fine two inch tracking snow has enabled the nimrods to discover the moset frequented retreats of the coveted buck. Many new hunting camps have been built during the fall and summer, mostly on state forest reserves. Several tents have also been pitched temporarily. Besides the crews of the various camps many "still hunters" may be seen wending their way before daybreak to the native mountains. When a deer is routed huntsmen spring up from all sides as mysteriously as hiddem army.

The Big Buck camp proudly display a fine four prong buck; Carr's camp in Dry Hollow have hanging before their lodge two deer, a five prong and a spike; Camp Kelly has a four prong buck and Carr's ten... near the Bald Face possess two large bucks, a two and a four prong. Some few camps have made no kills as yet but expect to display some fine specimens before the closing day, the fifteenth.

BUSINESS MEN RECOMMEND LANSBERRY TRANSFER CO.

W. D. Park and G. W. Flanigan two business men of Pittsburg, w... to announce that they had a ... journey through the ... business the nature ... great deal of hauling ... recommend Lansb... Transfer Co., as they have ... trucks that ... also want to ... for the ... they ... the transfer of any kind of merchandise.

Athens, Dec. 6. (By United Press) —The 105th German legion has been rushed to Ructchusk presumably to meet Roumanians concentrating near that point and to repel an expected movement by Russian troops.

Greek military authorities received word today that Germany is sending heavy artillery to the Roumanian border from the western front.

The Roumanian order commanding all foreign shipping in Roumanian ports "in the interest of the national defense" was scheduled to go into effect today. Well informed circles here did not consider the Roumanian move as sufficient evidence that Roumania is to enter the war with the allies but admitted the attitude was most puzzling.

King Constantine, it was reliably reported today, is about to assure the allies that their demands will be met in full.

No word of the movement of the Serbian army has reached Athens in press dispatches. Only minor clashes with the teutonic advance guard are now marking the Serbian retirement into Albania.

BRITISH PASSENGER LINER ESCAPES FROM SUBMARINE

After Exciting Chase of Five Hours During Which Time She Was Heavily Shelled

London, Dec. 6. (By United Press) —The British passenger liner Japanese Prince escaped from a German submarine after a five hour chase in which she was heavily shelled, the press bureau announced today, ... saying that the attack was made recently and that the liner ultimately was brought safely to port.

SERBIANS TEMPORARILY HOLD TEUTONIC OFFENSIVE

Attacks Made by Detachments to the South and East Repulsed

Berlin, Dec. 6. (My United Press) — That the Serbs and Montenegrins have at least temporarily held the teutonic offensive along the Montenegrin and Albanian frontiers was indicated by this afternoon's official statement. The war office spoke only of attacks by Montenegrins and Serbian detashments to the south and east, but said these attacks were repulsed.

POPE'S PEACE APPEAL

Rome, Dec. 6. (By United Press)— Pope Benedict's allocution to the consistory of cardinals today contained a strong appeal for early peace.

METHOD FOR ADDING FLAVOR TO CHRISTMAS TURKEY

Washington, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—A delectable flavor may be added to the Christmas turkey, goose, chicken or other fowl, Department of Agriculture experts announced today, if the housewife will see that the bird is not fed for 24 hours before it is killed. It also is suggested that the fowl be hung by both feet to be plucked, as holding it in the lap will soil the flesh.

TEACHERS TO BE EXAMINED FOR CONTINUATION SCHOOLS

Examinations to be Held in Seven Cities Throughout the State

Harrisburg, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—The examinations for certificates for teachers in the continuation schools will be held on Saturday, December 11th, at 9 a. m. at the following places: North Industrial School, Pittsburg; High school, Altoona; High school for boys, Reading; Technical High school, Scranton, Philadelphia Trades school Philadelphia High school, W...

Applicants for ... certificates for contin... will be examined ... English, industrial geography, civics, hygiene for ... worker, industrial drawing and industrial arithmetic.

These examinations will be open to ... teachers who attended the summer school's for the training of teachers for continuation schools and all ... taught one ... and hold a certificate ... Pennsylvania. Application blanks may be procured from the examiner on the day on which the examinations are held.

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A CLOSED SEASON NECESSARY

However unpleasant may be the consequence of taking the initiative in such a matter, it is clearly up to some resident of the county who is interested in the conservation of our deer heards to begin immediately after the hunting season closes on the fifteenth the circulation of a petition to the board of game commissioners requesting that an absolutely closed season be established in Clearfield county until the present decimated herds are sufficiently increased.

It is possible, indeed probable, that if hunters from other parts of the state did not flock to Clearfield county for the hunting season, there would be deer in plenty for the local nimrods. But it seems that Clearfield has become the happy hunting ground for scores of residents of other counties where the nimrods have had sufficient foresight to ask for a closed season. No good sportsman is inclined to deny these gentlemen the privilege of potting a buck or two when there is an off season at home, but the influx of hunters this year has been to great to be safe for the future of the game.

Local hunters complain that deer have been hunted so unrelentingly in the past few seasons that the older bucks have become wary and take to the shelter of the game preserves with the firing of the first rifle. Doe and fawns in great numbers have been seen, and they are seemingly so conscious of their immunity that they trot the runs unafraid within fifty feet of the hunters. One man who goes to the woods every season said that in two days his camp saw over fifty doe and fawns, but not a single buck.

Despite the earlier reports that deer would be plentiful this season, the kill, compared with the number of hunters who have been in the woods since the first day of December, has been meagre, and it is plainly seen by many who have at heart the best interests of the sport that a closed season is necessary if Clearfield county herds are to be preserved for future seasons.

A NOTABLE WEDDING PRESENT

A few American families of distinction take pride in a remote infusion of Indian blood and included among them is the family of Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancee. What is of present interest in this connection is the fact that the news has reached and greatly pleased the Indians of the far West who are proud to claim kinship with the future First Lady of the Land, the only representative of the aboriginal race of this continent who has ever lived in the white house. As a means of showing their good will and signalizing the blood bond, however attenuated after so many generations, the Blackfeet Indians of the Glacier National Park reservation in northwestern Montana are preparing to send a wedding gift of a priceless set of furs made from the skins of forty-eight animals.

The greatest hunters of the tribe, it is stated, are now hunting down the finest and rarest fur-bearing animals with this commendable purpose in view. The wonderful set of furs will contains not merely recent trophies of the red nimrods but valuable pelts that have been in the possession of tribal chiefs for more than half a century, including a skin of the rare white buffalo which is said to have a legendary sanctity. When this unique set of furs is brought to the white house by Chief Three Bears, who is said to be ninety-six years old. The President's bride will know how to receive it and the aged bearer with all graciousness, and no doubt she will send appropriate messages to the luckless and picturesque race—children of misfortune and romance—with whom she is remotely allied.

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Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"Bagdad, as the fencing ground of generations of the most skillful of European diplomats and secret agents, and as one of the most important strategic centers in the Near East, forms the subject of a bulletin just issued by the National Geographic Society, which sketches the great political and economic advantages of the ancient capital of the Mohammedan world, upon which the soldiers of Great Britain are slowly closing. The bulletin reads as follows:

"Bagdad is the dominant city of the eastern part of the Ottoman Empire, yielding little in importance to its great sister metropolis upon the Bosphorus. As Constantinople is the guarding heart and brain of Turkey in the west, so Bagdad is the strength of the Empire's eastern defense. Within its boundaries are the administrators, the officers, the supply depots and the bureaus for organization, operation and supply, which constitute the backbone of defense in the whole Mesopotamian division of Turkey.

"The ancient city, moreover, lies upon the natural line of communication between Persia and the West, and between the West and the Persian Gulf. Three ancient caravan routes, one from Khorasan, another up the Euphrates into Syria, and the last up the Tigris into the Armenian plateau and to the Black Sea behind it, were the elements of Bagdad's trading strength in ancient times. Today, its importance is almost wholly bound up in the potential wealth of its surrounding plains, watered by the Tigris and the Euphrates; where among earth's earliest civilizations dawned, flourished, decayed and shrank into oblivion; and its dominating position upon the lines of communication between India, Persia and the West.

"Bagdad the Magnificent is now a decaying city, and the years that have rolled by since Turkish overlordship first began, for Mohammedan lands of the Near East have seen it sink slowly in importance as a mart for international trade, as a station on the path of the rich merchandise caravans from the East and the West, and as the center of a land of abundant harvest. It is still, however, the second city in the Empire, and its loss to the Turk would be relatively almost as great as the loss of Chicago would be to the United States. But more that this, the nation of the West controlling Bagdad, would control the whole fruitful area between the world's two most historic rivers—the Tigris and the Euphrates; would dominate the Persian Gulf; and would exercise a powerful influence in the affairs of southern Persia. Thus, an English conquest here, would place the Empire's northern frontier about India beyond the peril of attack.

"Bagdad has awakened during recent years, and has given its strength to schemes for reclaiming the vast waste areas about it by irrigation. It planned the expenditure of $130,000,000 for the reclamation of 12,500,000 acres, and as an immediate project, it decided upon the reclaiming of a tract of more than 3,000,000 acres. A new order of things began for the time-burdened city in the few years before the outbreak of the war, and hints of the nervous, keen, hasty, modern life of the West were multiplying. The restless beat of the American oil engine was replacing the more deliberate ways of the donkey and heat-oppressed human. Oil wells were sunk in the Karun river region, south of Bagdad, and American well drills were employed. Oil refineries were built here, and modern Bagdad contemplated industries for the manufacture of native materials supplied with this fuel. Before the discovery of oil, Bagdad's industry was hampered by the exhorbitant prices which coal brought in this region so distant from its source of production—$16 and $20 per ton. Bitumen and asphalt lakes and springs abound on the northern reaches of the Tigris, and promise riches to a future Bagdad.

"The city has a population of about 200,000, and is governed by a Pasha who is assisted by a council. The Pasha comes from Constantinople. There is some difference between the ruling Turks from Constantinople and the native Arab population of Bagdad, as the Turks are Sunnites and the Arabs are Shi 'ites. This religious difference has many times prevented harmonious co-operation between the Turk and the Arab.

"The city does an annual trade in normal times in imports and exports of about $15,000,000, buying oil, cheap cottons, shoes and other western manufactures, and selling hides, wool and dates. Germany, England and Russia have been the strongest dealers in diplomacy and commerce at Bagdad.

"The city lies about 500 miles from the Persian Gulf following the course of the river. The Tigris, like the Danube, is the great water highway of an agricultural country, and it is the main artery of Bagdad's external traffic. It maintains, in times of peace, steam communication with its port toward the Persian Gulf by means of one British and one Turkish line of steamers. Steamer service on the Tigris ends at Bagdad, though [illegible] the river. Two lines of telegraph, one British and one Turkish, formerly connected this city with Europe, while, to the west, the Euphrates furnishes a water highway through many hundreds of miles, to the northwest. Bagdad and Teheran, for years diplomacy's chief Near Eastern theatres of strategic endeavor, have been places of keenest interest to the foreign offices of England, Russia and Germany. In these two cities, the one the second city of the Turkish Empire and the other the capital of the decaying Persia, the great game of the eastern politics was fought at close range with all the dexterity, which the great Empires could bring to bear. There, thus, attaches to an invasion of Bagdad, an importance far beyond the importance of the city's wealth or its military value."

GLASS OF WATER BEFORE YOU EAT ANY BREAKFAST

Wash Poison From System Each Morning and Feel Fresh as a Daisy.

Every day you clean the house you live in to get rid of the dust and dirt which collected through the previous day. Your body, the house your soul lives in, also becomes filled up each twenty-four hours with all manner of filth and poison. If only every man and woman could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly an aemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks", "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

Everyone, whether sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not obsorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Gen. August von Mackensen, the famous commander of the German forces in the Galician campaign, born at Haus-Leipnitz, Saxony, 66 years ago today.

Joseph Conrad, considered by some critics the greatest living writer of English fiction, born in Poland, 58 years ago today.

Edward H. Sothern, one of the foremost actors of the American stage, born in New Orleans, 56 years ago today.

Col John S. Mosby, famous Confederate cavalry leader in the civil war, born in Powhatan County, Va., 82 years ago today.

Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the U. S. naval bureau of navigation, born in Richmond County, N. C., 49 years ago today.

Atlee Pomerene, United States senator from Ohio, born in Holmes County, Ohio, 52 years ago today.

Howard Elliott, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, born in New York City, 55 years ago today.

TO BE ABLE TO SEE

and see clearly without artificial aid, is something all of us cannot enjoy. It is possible, however, with the use of our Toric Lenses to correct the troublesome eyes, and make the vision clear and strong. We can procure glasses to fit any eyes and charge nothing for examination. It will pay you to come to us

Kennard & Snyder

202 Market St. Clearfield, Pa.

BISHOP CAGLIERO APPOINTED TO CARDINALATE BY POPE

First Salesian Priest to be Elevated to This Rank

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—Official notification has come from Rome to the papal delegate in this city that at the papal consistory to be held today the Right Rev. Bishop Giovanni Cagliero will be elevated to the cardinalate.

Bishop Cagliero will have been the first Salesian priest to attain to this distincton. The Bishop was one of the first pupils of the Venerable Don Bosco, founder of the Salesian community of missionary priests. He was the first missionary to go into the Salesian community of missionary priests. He was the first missionary to go into Patagonia, where he founded churches and schools and established a branch of the Association of Salesian Co-operators, a canonically erected society, also founded by Don Bosco, to help in maintaining and furthering the Salesian institutes and missions.

The missionary work of Bishop Cagliero was so successful that the Salesians now have colleges, homes, churches, missions, agricultural and trade schools, in every country of Souht America. In the city of Benos Ayres alone they have more than 200,000 parishioners and several thousand students in their schools.

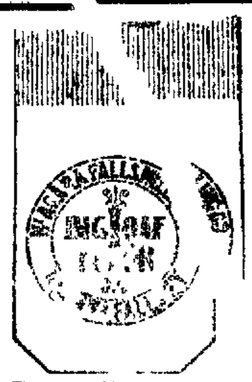
The Salesian society is a congregation of priests and lay brothers founded for the care and education of destitute children in all parts of the world. Its name was derived from St. Francis de Sales, who was chosen by Don Bosco as the patron of the Salesians. In addition to the priests and lay brothers the society includes the Institute of the Sisters of Mary Help of Christians, an association of nuns who do the same work for girls that the Salesians do for boys. The co-operators give active and material help ot the missionary priests of the society.

The late Pope Leo XIII was one of the co-operators. When inscribing his name as one of them he said to Don Bosco: "Each time that you have to address your co-operators tell them that I bless them from my heart. The purpose of your society being to rescue the young from ruin, bid them unite their heart and soul in aiding you to accomplish this purpose. This expression is one of the most prized in the possession of the Salesian society.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

The Germans advanced thirty miles in Russian Poland and claimed to have occupied Lodz. Forty French and British warships were ready to storm the Dardanelles(it was reported.

The Very Best Flour That Money Can Buy



Geo. H. Lum

DuBOIS, PA. Sales Mgr.

Pen Mightier Than the Sword.

By BRETT.

The most powerful pen is the advertising pen.

Publicity, like electricity, is yet in its infancy. None knows the limits of either.

But it is patent to all that newspaper advertising is the foundation of all publicity.

Now, listen. There isn't a successful business man in the country who, when cornered, will not confess that a great measure of his success is due to advertising.

Be a success. Advertise.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Public Service commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by Glen Hope Light, Heat and Power company, for a Certificate of Public Convenience, evidencing the Commission's approval of a sale, assignment, disposition and conveyance of its franchises and all its property, real, personal and mixed to the Penn Public Service Company, the public hearing on which will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg on the 18th day of December, 1915, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

C. B. MILLER,
Solicitor.

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Advertise in The Progress.

Don't Be a Calamity Howler.

By BREEN.

If business is a bit poor don't cry that the country is going to the bowwows. Things will come out all right. When business life is at a low ebb newspaper advertising will help sustain it. When the financial and business depression was at its height a Pacific coast merchant spent $100,000 in a newspaper ad. campaign. The results more than justified his optimism.

The Wall street maxim is, "Buy when everybody is selling; sell when everybody is buying." If one wants to buy or sell anything he consults the newspapers.

FLUFF RUGS

Made from old ingrain and brussels carpets. Nothing like them for wear. Send your carpets to us. Also weavers of rag carpets.

ROCKTON RUG WORKS

S. U. B. Phone, Rockton Station Pa.

WE PROVIDE EVERY FACILITY

and accommodation for visitors to this Bank. We do more; we place the trained experience of our staff at the service of all who desire information as to banking or investment matters. We shall be pleased to advise you in regard to any financial matters about which you desire expert information.

CLEARFIELD TRUST COMPANY

"CLEARFIELD'S PIONEER SAVINGS BANK"

SAVE SYSTEMATICALLY

There is no time like the present to start saving. Form a plan and work it systematically and persistently. Decide how much you can save out of each pay. Then deposit that amount regularly every pay day. It will surprise you to see how the money grows.

This bank invites your savings account. You will receive 3 per cent interest, compounded every six months.

THE COUNTY NATIONAL BANK Of Clearfield.

THE OLDEST BANK IN CLEARFIELD CO.

Bank With Us

This is a simple little invitation in itself, but it means to the Firm, Merchant or Corporation who accepts, Substantial Assistance in business, Security for funds on deposit and all the Conveniences and courtesies a well organized banking system can extend.

The Clearfield National Bank,

"The Bank of Service"

Resources $1,[illegible]

NEWSPAPERARCHIVE® NEWSPAPERARCHIVE®

Latest Style Shoes

Here is one of the very latest Shoes for Men in Black and Tan. We have this style in Nettleton's famous Men's Shoes from $6.50 to $8.00. Also in $5.00, $4.50, $4.00, $3.50 and $2.98.

A New Kid Boot for Women just in; Lace, 9 inches high. The very best styles in the market.

High Shoes for Men and Boys at $1.98 to $5.50. Every height and size.

Rubbers for everybody.

Brown's Boot Shop

Congress Convening Today has Unusual Problem to Solve

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of people waiting. Admission on the house side was by card only. Each member was given two cards.

Fond mothers, wives and sweethearts of members looked down as the oaths were administered. Feminine finery and furs lent a touch of color to the massed galleries. Women spectators were in the majority. A sprinkling of diplomats occupied their specially reserved galleries. The white house reserved sections were also occupied by members and guests of the president's household. Hundreds of persons couldn't get in.

Senatorial dignity put a damper on demonstrations in the senate. Flowers were sent to the desks of many. The subdued hum of repressed excitement in the senate was in sharp contrast to the clamor and tumult in the house.

Tomorrow, real business will begin. Committee assignments are practically completed and initial measures drafted. First on the program is the extension of the emergency war tax, which expires December 31. This is expected to be followed shortly by the resolution extending present duties on sugar which is scheduled to go on the free list next May.

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BIG ISSUES IN CONGRESS' PROGRAM.

National Defense—Navy.

Five-year expenditure, $502,000,000 for ten dreadnoughts, five battle cruisers, ten scout cruisers, fifty destroyers ... fleet submarines ... coast submarines ... men ... Annapolis ... aviation ... ammunition ... ment ... eral progressive factory ... tory and increased militia reserve.

Army.

Four-year expenditure of $[illegible] increase ... army to ... militia ... a total ... $20,000,000 annually for coast fortifications and $26,000,000 for ammunition and supplies.

Government Ship Purchase.

From $35,000,000 to $50,000,000 for ships bought or built and operated in trade by government shipping board and available for use as transports in war.

Revenue.

Extension of war taxes another year, possibly adding bank checks; ... duties; ... smaller incomes, ... heritance tax; raised ... large incomes and possible taxation of war munitions.

War Measures.

New penalties for neutrality violations, ... conspiracies ... etc. Pro... ships from ... of registry la... foreign manuf... ... on ...

Conservation.

Water power ... measures. Government land, coal, gas and oil leasing systems.

Woman Suffrage.

Susan B. Anthony ... in federal ... right of nation-wide suffrage to women.

Prohibition.

Dry amendment to federal constitution and a dry District of Columbia.

Railroads.

Extension of government control with possibly ultimate government ownership. Government supervision of securities. Increased powers for Interstate Commerce Commission. Train safety bill compelling use of steel cars, block signals and other life saving devices.

Telegraphs and Telephones.

Government condemnation and operation of all such lines.

Finance.

Rural land credits and personal rural credits. National budget system, with new system of house supervision. May abolish comptroller of the currency.

Treaties.

Ratify those with Colombia, Nacaragua and Haiti, paying Colombia $25,000,000 as result of Panama Canal acquisition; $3,000,000 to Nicaragua for exclusive rights to canal route, and establishing a 10-year American protectorate over Haiti.

Presidential Term.

Limiting president's tenure to one term of either four or six years.

Primary Elections.

Presidential primaries and abolition of party conventions for all purposes except the drafting of pl... ...ons and nominee ratific...

...tion.

Litera... for immigrants and also ... exclusion of all Asiatics.

Cloture.

Prevent senate filibustering by rules limiting debate on any given subject.

Philippine and Porto Rican Independence.

Providing both self-government in given time.

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Washington, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—Practically all senators were present when Vice-President Marshall convened the Senate at noon. Reference to the grave responsibilities of members was made in the prayer of the chaplain, the Rev. F. J. Prettyman. The 82 senators elected ... ago were ... in by ... escorted to the hall of the senate before the clerk's desk by their colleagues.

A roll call was then taken showing a quorum present. Senator S... Democratic leader, sponsored resolutions for the appointment of committees notifying the house and the president that the senate was ready for business. Kern and Gallinger Republican leader and oldest member in point of service, were appointed to act with the house committee in this. Another resolution fixed the daily hour of meeting at noon.

Officers of the senate were then elected. James M. Baker was re-elected secretary, Henry M. Rose assistant secretary, Charles P. Higgins sergeant-at-arms, and Rev. Prettyman, chaplain.

A message from the house was received by a special committee notifying the senate of Speaker Clark's reelection and the house's organization. Senator Kern ... d and h... without opposition ... nothing for the ... chamber ... President Wilson's opening address.

Introduction of a flood of bills ... was postponed until ... according to senatorial precedent. Also, tomorrow a long list of ... and other nominations will ... from the president. Several hundred ... have been adjourned, which will now require confirmation by the senate.

HOUSE.

Choice of Champ Clark as speaker was deemed certain when the house was convened by South Trimble, clerk. The blind chaplain, the Rev. H. N. Couden, eloquently referred in his prayer to the difficult problems before the house. The new official membership list of the house was called by Trimble. Election of Speaker Clark followed according to the schedule. His name was presented by Saunders, of Virginia, Democratic caucus chairman; and that of Mann by Greene, of Massachusetts, Republican chairman. The vote was taken by tellers, the members marching up the center aisle to be counted.

Democrats and Republicans alike, with the galleries assisting, joined in the demonstration upon Clark's election. Mann felicitating the opposition on its choice and heading a committee, including Representative Foster and Democratic leader Kitchin, which escorted the speaker to the chair. Clark thanked the house for the honor.

With the speaker administering the oath, the representatives were sworn in state delegations as the roll was alphabetically called by states. Ovations were given when the names Mann, Sannon, Kitchin and others were called. Swearing in of territorial delegates followed. Leaders Kitchin and Mann presented slates of nominees for the house offices. The following Democrats, chosen by the caucus, were elected: clerk, South Trimble; chief clerk, Jerry South; sergeant-at-arms, Robert B. Gordon; doorkeeper, J. J. Sinnott; chaplain, Rev. H. N. Coudon.

Kitchin presented and had passed by viva voce vote resolutions appointing committees to notify the senate and the president of the house's organization. Another resolution permitted the members to choose their special seats; and another for the rules committee. The resolution providing for the joint session in the house chamber tomorrow, to hear the president's opening address, then was passed. Hundreds of bills, resolutions and petitions poured into the hopper. There were large waste baskets for them. Suffrage resolutions were numerous. Announcement was made just before adjournment of a Democratic caucus tomorrow to ratify committee organization. Minority members were chosen through Leader Mann.

SUFFRAGISTS WILL PRESENT PETITION TO CONGRESS

Women Arrive From San Francisco With 500,000 Signature Petition

Washington, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—With the opening of congress today noon, suffrage workers made the capital city the field of their activities in behalf of the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment to the constitution; and at 12:30 P. M., a great delegation of suffragists was welcomed in the rotunda of the capitol by the house and senate committee on suffrage, led by Senator Sutherland and Representative Mondell.

At 2 P. M., President Wilson received 300 suffrage leaders in the East room at the white house. The campaign for the Anthony amendment will be planned at the week's session of the Advisory Council and Woman Voters' convention beginning Wednesday.

Today's receptions marked the arrival in Washington of Mrs. Sara ... and Miss Francis Joliff from San Francisco, by motor, bearing the 500,000-signature petition asking congress to pass the suffrage amendment. The two were met by representatives from congressional union headquarters and local suffragists in cavalry, infantry and motor divisions. The procession went to the East steps of the capitol. Senator Sutherland and Representative Mondell there received the petitions and spoke briefly. The two women travelers replied.

The suffragists then marched up Pennsylvania Avenue to the white house, where only the leaders were received by the president. The president was told of the petition to congress and that the suffrage women want the Democratic partic party to make an issue of suffrage. Among the suffragists were:

Colorado: Dr. Caroline Spencer, Colorado Springs; Connecticut: Mesdames George Day, of Hartford, William Murray, of New Haven, Annie G. Porritt, of Hartford; Illinois: C. C. Bartlett, of Chicago; Maryland: Emma Maddox Funck, Edward S. Latimer and Townsend Scott, of Baltimore; Michigan: Miss Margaret Fay Whittemore, and Mrs. Eugene Shippen, Detroit; Minnesota: Mesdames A. R. Colvin, of St. Paul, A. H. Bright, Gertrude Hunter and Alden H. Potter, of Minneapolis, and Clara K. Fuller, of Little Falls.

New York: Mesdames O. H. P. Belmont, Harriet Stanton Blatch, John Winters Brannan, John Dewey, Tiffany ... Flora ... Fa... ... J. White ... Benedict, ... Robert ... son, of New ... Isabelle Hott, of ... and Mrs. F. R. Hazard, of Syracuse.

Pennsylvania: Mrs. Harriet Dallas, Mrs. Edwin Grice and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Agnes ... Mrs. J. Borden Estes, of Montpelier and Mrs. Mary L. Benedict, of Burlington; Virginia: Mrs. Sophie G. Meredith, Mrs. Percy S. Read and Mrs. W. J. Adams, of Richmond; Utah: Mrs. Margaret Jane Cherdon, of Salt Lake City; District of Columbia: Mrs. Richard Wainright, Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey and others; Delaware: Mrs. Paul du Pont; Wisconsin, the Rev. Olympia Brown.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Delaney and son Charles Jr., left for their home in Altoona after spending Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Piper on Second street.

RHEUMATISM QUICKLY RELIEVED

There is nothing that will stop the agony so quickly and also reduce the swelling as true Mustarine, which every druggist has in an original yellow box at trifling cost. Just rub it on; it warms up the joints in a minute and keeps warm and free from pain and twinges for hours. For Asthma, Sore throat, Chest colds, Pleurisy and Lumbago, true Mustarine acts instantly. Get the genuine made by Begy Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y. Woodward & McPherson Pharmacy can supply you. 2

ORDINANCE

Authorizing the ROCK RUN LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY, its successors, lessees or assigns to construct, replace and maintain poles, wires and fixtures in the public streets, and alleys of the borough of Burnside, Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of distributing electrical energy.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Burgess and Borough Council of the Borough of Burnside, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

Section 1. That the privilege be and is hereby granted to the ROCK RUN LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY, its successors, lessees or assigns, (hereinafter called GRANTEE), to construct, replace and maintain such poles, wires and fixtures upon, over, through, along and across the public streets and alleys of the said borough, as may be necessary for the purpose of transmitting and distributing electrical energy in ... through said borough for a... pose for which it may be now ... after used.

Section 2. That all poles erected under the provisions of this ordinance shall be reasonably straight, erected at locations designated by proper officer of said Borough. ... all cross arms for the suspension of wires shall be placed not less than twenty (20) feet above the grade of the street, except by permission of the Borough, and all wires shall be properly protected so as not to injure the ... trees through which any pass.

Section 3. That when the ... streets and alleys of said Borough are used for the erection of poles, wires and fixtures under the provisions of this ordinance the ... and surface thereof where dis... shall be replaced by grantee in as nearly as practicable the condition existing before the erection thereon of said poles, wires and fixtures.

Section 4. That grantee shall be ready to furnish electrical energy in said borough on or before January 1st, 1916.

Section 5. That grantee shall keep and hold said Borough free and harmless from all damages that may arise out of injury to persons or property due to the default, carelessness or negligence of grantee in the exercise of this grant, provided grantee shall have the right to defend all suits against said borough arising therefrom and shall not be liable for any judgment unless due notice of the action and opportunity to defend same shall have been given grantee by said Borough.

Section 6. That grantee shall be governed by all legal ordinances of a general nature, now in force or hereafter enacted by said Borough, not inconsistent with this grant and nothing herein shall be construed as granting an exclusive franchise for the use of public streets and alleys of said Borough.

Section 7. That any ordinance or part of ordinance or said Borough conflicting with the provisions hereof be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as same conflicts with this ordinance.

Section 8. It is hereby understood and agreed that neither the purpose nor intent nor the obligation of this contract if and when approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is such as to impair or in any wise affect the exercise of said Commission of any of the powers vested in it by the Public Service Company law, approved July 26, 1913.

Section 9. That grantee shall pay, upon presentation of bill therefor, the cost of printing and publishing this ordinance and shall file with the secretary of council of said Borough ... the passage ... of.

Enacted and ordained this 15th day of November 1915.

H. B. WETZEL,
President of Council.

JOHN WILLIAMSON
Secretary of Council.

Approved this 15th day of November, 1915.

H. B. WETZEL
... Acting Burgess.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

BY J. A. COLEMAN.

The above slogan in the hands of an astute business man, changed the whole practice of Christmas shopping and stimulated holiday business as nothing else could have done. This man, with the nerve of a Barnum and the judgement of a Wanamaker, grabbed the thought from the public mind and put it into big Black Type where "He who runs may read"—in the newspaper! He backed a popular conviction with his coin and advertised the universal belief that it would be better for everyone concerned if the inevitable Christmas purchases were made at once while stocks were fresh and new and the choice was wide and ample.

The result not only paid the advertiser as it always does—but the whole country profited beside.

This slogan has since slipped into practical use in every corner of commercial America. Excepting perhaps its fellow slogan, "Safety First," which reduced the accident death rate enormously, it has done more good in the world than any business phrase ever coined. It has been the means of discontinuing the time honored practice among large metropolitan department and specialty stores of keeping open in the evening a week or two preceding Christmas Eve. It has enabled manufacturers to prepare their goods and fill orders far enough in advance to insure clear store rooms long before the Yuletide candles were lighted. It prevented the disappointment of millions of Christmas shoppers who were wont in times past to wait for the more attractive novelties which turned up at the last moment. And not the least important, it saved the heartaches of neglected ones who leant upon the broken reed of mere man's thoughtlessness.

That phrase, "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early," was instantly taken up and flashed before the eyes of the world through the medium of its newspaper. Just as every other worth while thing is told this nation of readers by the ever present, constant, reliable, all-knowing morning, evening, weekly or Sunday newspaper. Nothing the world does is done without ITS knowledge, nothing you want the world to know can be made known without its aid. Almost any national manufacturer will tell you that most of his fame and profit were due to newspaper advertising. No newspaper advertiser who followed up wisely ever lost money.

The newspaper pays the advertiser. The ... invests in business publicity. The cost of advertising is a phantom Zeppelin—it never lights anywhere. It is a bugaboo made of thin air and a yellow streak. The common supposition that advertising expense is levied upon the consumer is likewise a fallacy. The fact of the matter is that the non-advertiser pays for it out of the business he loses to competitors who do advertise.

Advertising doubles output, halves overhead, divides selling cost and, by making two customers buy where ONLY ONE BOUGHT BEFORE, it creats a hundred per cent. increase in profit—out of which any business man can afford to pay for his own advertising.

MORAL FOR MERCHANTS: Advertise in the Progress and do your Christmas Business early.

OLDEST LIVING GRADUATE OF ANNAPOLIS 92 TODAY

Admiral Upshur to be Congratulated Aztec Club Today

Washington, Dec. 4.—The oldest living graduate of the United States Naval Academy will be ninety-two years old tomorrow. He is Rear Admiral John Henry Upshur, U. S. N., retired, and he expects to celebrate his birthday anniversary with all the vigor of a naval officer on the active list. Open house will be kept tomorrow at the Upshur apartments in the Parkwood, where the Admiral and his wife will receive their many friends. In accordance with an annual custom the members of the Aztec Club of 1847 will call upon Admiral Upshur in a body to extend their congratulations.

Admiral Upshur was born in Northampton County, Va., December 5, 1823. He was a student at William and Mary College, and was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1848, having previously served on various naval vessels in the Mediterranean, in Brazil and the Gulf of Mexico.

He was present at the seige and capture of Vera Cruz and was promoted to be master in 1855, and lieutenant later in the same year, serving with Commodore Perry in the expedition in opening Japan to commerce. He was a lieutenant of the African squadron from 1857 to 1859, when he was appointed an instructor at the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and was there when the civil war began.

He served two years in the North Atlantic squadron during the war and was present at the capture of Fort Hatteras and Port Royal, S. C., and in minor actions and expeditions on the coast. He was commander of the flagship in the North Atlantic fleet in 1864, and was present at the capture of Fort Fisher in January, 1865.

He commanded flagships of the Pacific and South Atlantic squadrons, and for two years, 1882 to 1884, was commandant of the New York Navy Yard. He reached the grade of ... admiral in 18... and was ... commanded the ... Pacific. He retired on his ... tion after forty-four years of service, in May, 1885.

Since his retirement Admiral Upshur has traveled the world ... keen observer and a gentle critic of other peoples. He walks several miles each day, carries on a large personal correspondence, scorns the use of eye glasses, appreciates a good ... lively in the hotel corridors. The Admiral and Mrs. Upshur spend their winters in Washington ... have their summer residence at Lenox, Mass.

YOUNG WOMAN SUES PROMINENT NAVAL MAN

Newport, R. I., Dec. 6.—A breach of his promise to marry her is alleged by Miss Oral L. Melander of Chicago and New York, against Chief Master-at-arms William H. Schoils of the Naval training station who has a record of 25 years of excellent service, and is close to the age limit of 64 years. The case was called for trial in the superior court here today. Miss Melander asks $5,000 as the cheapest possible price for her injured feelings.

Last summer Miss Melander, who chanced to be visiting in Newport, met the chief petty officer, who was on duty at the Government landing. According to the affidavit of the young woman, who says she is 26, she was fooled by Chief Schoils, who was later found to be married, and whose wife was living happily in a little home at Freeport, L. I.

When Chief Schoils went on leave to his home there came a dainty letter which fell into the hands of Mrs. Schoils and a letter was written by the wife to Miss Melander, who then became aware, she says, that Schoils was a married man.

Miss Melander is reported to be a nurse. She was ready to fulfill her alleged marriage contract with Chief Schoils, but as there was a wife already, this contract could not be carried out. As all navy ... the government has the right ... lect any or all ... perhaps ... Schoils believed he was ... such a law.

At any rate, Miss Melander ... forth than on July ... and on divers occasions between July 5 and July 31, Mr. Schoils fraudulently represented himself to be unmarried, to be a man of wealth and fully competent to contract a marriage, and agreed to marry her. As ...

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FOR SALE ... desirable locatio... White ... Progress. N 16 ...

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SHAPIRO'S

THE "POPULAR" Christmas Store

Store is beautifully decorated all aglow in it's Chrismas Splendor. Stocks are arrayed for easy selection!

Here we specialize in things that men like—so you just can't go wrong on any present tbat you select in this store.

Here the "What Shall I give him?" Question is readily solved.

And you may rest assured that your gift will be appreciated and your judgment commended, because every man in town knows that all our merchandise offers full values for every dollar spent.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

We will be pleased to have you come in and look around. Come in this week and make your selections and we will deliver your purchases any time you say the word.

LOUIS SHAPIRO
Clothing and Shoes
235 Market St. Clearfield, Pa.

...T FIGHT AGAINST VACCINATION STARTED

E. V. Cooke, Author and Poet Heads Anti-Vaccination Faction

(United Press Correspondence.)

Cleveland, O, Dec. 6.—Once more is Edmund Vance Cooke, poet and author, at the head of a hot anti-vaccination fight in Cleveland. To vaccinate or not to vaccinate is the question being disputed by the parents and other relatives of Cleveland's 80,000 unvaccinated boys and girls of school age. There are 90,000 school children here altogether. A report issued by the Cleveland Foundation school survey committee, opposed to Cooke's faction, predicts a repetition of the 1902 small pox epidemic in which 224 persons died, unless the 1912 city ordinance requiring all school children to be vaccinated, is enforced at once.

Cooke led the anti-vaccination fight in 1910, winning it after a hard fight. He resumed the fight immediately the question came up again. His contention is that as many deaths results from the effects of vaccination as result from the disease, to prevent which the vaccination is performed.

"The preventive is as bad as the disease," said Cooke today, "and right now, when there is no epidemic, is the time to settle this question once and for all." For failure to enforce the ordinance, School Superintendent Frederick may be fined $200 and imprisoned for sixty days, in each case, which would make about 8,000 years for him to serve if he does not vaccinate the children and the ordinance is strictly enforced.

ENORMOUS FORTUNE WOULD BE RECEIVED BY RAILROADER

Chain Letter Sent Out Asking Aid for Railroad Employee

(United Press Correspondence.)

Fort Worth, Dec. 6.—A chain letter asking aid for the former ... passenger agent of a big American railroad, sent to railroad officials throughout the country, inspired Traveling Freight Agent C. R. Calvert, of the Yazoo & Mississippi to write the following to the Chicago official back of the move:

"I have received your chain letter ... requesting aid for an old comrade who has broken down in the harness and I cheerfully contribute. However, I see that it is requested that the chain be continued up to No. ... Allowing for error in multiplying such large figures, I find there ... 970,947,263,625 letters written, which will be about 5,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 for each man, woman and child in the world. Now, if favorable replies are received to these letters, as expected, I figure that Bill will get about $868,197,749,111,631,866,830,380,709,472,656.25. This confirms your statement that 'sufficient sum will be raised to make Bill comfortable while he is with us,' unless he lives an unusually long time. The twenty letters already sent should bring Bill something like $4,768,371,582,031.35, and I think he should try and worry along on that, even if he has worked for a railroad."

BICYCLE RACE BEGINS TODAY

New York, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—Twenty-two teams are entered in the six-day bicycle race which is to begin at Madison Square Garden today.

Everybody Now Reads Ads.

By BREEN.

The time is gone when the newspaper reader passed over the ad. section.

Ads. today are eagerly read. A well worded ad. is entertaining. It is enlightening. It tells the reader something. It may be termed unselfish. The advertiser has something you want. True, he wants something from you. It is up to you to decide.

In homes all over the country newspaper ads. are read and digested. The housewife reads them. So does the big business man.

Don't be a dog in the manger. Advertise your wares.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. Winner, of Weaver street has returned to her home after spending a month with her son Trissler in Kentucky. She stopped in Pittsburg on her way back to see that wonderful protoplay, "The Birth of a Nation."

Tom Allen and Lon Baughman, of DuBois, are in town todayl to attend Civil court.

Miss Amanda Remsnyder entertained a few of her friends Friday evening.

Chief of Police Hugh Jeffrys, of DuBois is in town today on official business.

Mrs. L. M. Garret, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother Lansing Snyder on Second street.

Mrs. W. C. Hembold has returned from a vsit with her son Arnold in Pittsburg.

John Sharkey, of DuBois, is attending to business matters in town today.

James Morris, of DuBois, is in town today on business.

Walter Sohn of Harrisburg, is visiting his fiancee Miss Anne Norris.

H. A. Moore, of DuBois, is attending to business matters in town today.

Miss Elizabeth McBlain is entertaining Tuesday evening at her home on Market street.

Frank Kritzer, of DuBois, is attending to business in town today.

William Baum, of DuBois, is visiting friends in town today.

Dan Rhinesmith was able to go to work today after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. S. C. Stewart has issued invitations to a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Second street.

Charles Sullivan, of DuBois, is attending to business in town today.

James Roney, of DuBois, is attending civil court in town today.

Miss Lois Feglye of Grampian, attended the show "Adele" on Saturday evening.

Huston Hartswick, who is working at Surveyor Run spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hartswick.

Miss Leona Traister, of DuBois, was in town today, en route to Harrisburg.

Miss Fannie Castle and Miss Ruby Beaman sang a beautiful duet at the Trinity M. E. church yesterday.

DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today

1815—Six hundred houses were destroyed and nearly 700 persons killed by the explosion of a magazine at Dantzic.

Seventy-Five Years Ago Today

1840—Thousands of persons assembled along the road from Cherbourg to Paris to view the passing of the remains of Napoleon.

Fifty Years Ago Today

1865—Georgia ratified the 13th amendment to the federal constitution.

Twenty-Five Years Ago Today

1890—Justin McCarthy and forty-four others withdrew from the meeting of Irish Nationalst members of Parliament and organized as a separate party.

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DOUBLE SERVICE AUTO TIRES
Guaranteed 7000 Miles Service
Proof Against Puncture

Double the thickness of the best standard makes of tires average 10 or 12 layers of Strong fabric, plus nearly one inch of tough tread rubber. 100 per cent. greater wearing depth and double the mileage, besides being practically puncture-proof.

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Used in U. S. government and European war service. Our output si limited, but we make the following low special Introductory Prices:

	Tires	Tubes		Tires	Tubes
30x3 in	$8 60	$2 30	36x4 in	$17 45	$4 85
30x3½ in	10 85	3 10	35x4½ in	21 20	5 60
32x3½ in	12 75	3 20	36x4½ in	22 50	5 75
33x4 in	15 75	4 20	37x4½ in	23 60	6 20
34x4 in	16 70	4 35	37x5 in	26 30	6 60

Two or more 10 per cent discount —non-skids 10 per cent additional. All sizes—any type. Remit by draft, money order or certified personal check; acceptance of order optional with consignee.

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CURWENSVILLE

Wier Bloom was a Clearfield visitor Saturday.

Misses Hole and Loderman of the Clearfield hospital force visited with friends in tow nover Sunday.

Roll Thompson, of Clearfield, had business in Curwensville Saturday morning.

Miss Esther Doughman, of Grampian was o Curwensville visitor Saturday afternoon.

Miss Alice Shaffner was a DuBois visitor Saturday.

Messrs. James Maxwell and Dan Irvin and Misses Alleine Blakek and Margaret Karstetter attended the show at Clearfield Saturday night.

The Brotherhood of the M. E. church, had charge of a meeting yesterday afternoon at the Centennial services of the M. E. church at Center.

Chas. Stone was a Clearfield visitor Saturday evening.

Freeman Woods is spending a few days in town at present.

Mrs. H. G. Guelker was a Clearfield visitor Saturday afternoon.

Capt. Shelow had businses at the county seat Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Daugherty, of Nashville, Texas, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty on the South Side.

George Leech, of Altoona visited relatives in town over Sunday.

Rev. Parkhill gave his illustrated lecture on "Syria"" last evening at the Presbyterian church before a large congregation.

LADIES! DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and Nobody Will Know

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and abundant. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through you hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears. and after another application or two, it becames beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant.

TO UPBUILD COMMERCE

New York, Dec. 6.—In response to a call issued by the National Association of Manufacturers representatives of financial and commercial bodies throughout the country gathered in this city today for a three-day conference to discuss various problems arising from the war in Europe. The subjects to which particular attention will be paid are commercial credits, foreign exchange, ocean and inland transportation and commercial treaties.

NOTICE

Will the party who took the overcoat by mistake from Jordon's restaurant please return it and get his own coat? Call at the ...'s desk, Jordan's restaurant. N 29 3t

Miss Ella Evelyn See... of Reynoldsville ... hand painted china on exhibition and for sale at Woodward and McPherson's drug store December 3, 4 and 6th. All are invited to call and see

BUYING DAYS from NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS

The Big Crowd
AT
ROBINSON & CO'S
(CLEARFIELD)
Inauguration Sale
Is the talk of the town

Hundreds of People Were here attending this Big Sale Friday and Saturday the opening days. Everybody was happy. All were glad to get the Big Bargains Robinson & Co. handed out. The Store looked like a bee hive. Hundreds upon Hundreds are still coming, it's Worth While for Such Big Bargains are seldom given the public in the month of December

TODAY, MONDAY, DECEMBER 6
Robinson & Company are selling Men's 50c Rich Socks at
25c
Besides the other great bargains in other goods.

TOMORROW, TUESDAY, DEC. 7
Robinson & Company are going to sell Men's 50c Overalls, all sizes, at
29c

And Loads of Great Big Bargains in Clothing for Men, Women and Children. Loads of Great Bargains in Shoes, Rubbers, Underwear, and Great Big Bargains in Women's, Misses and Children's Coats, Suits, Furs, and Dress. A Rousing Big Sale Where Your Money Can do Wonders.

The Pass Word by all Now is Robinson & Co's. Inauguration Sale. Come, Hurry and get Your Share.

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NEW METHOD OF CHOOSING A HUSBAND IN SCOTLAND

Two Girls Flip Coin to Decide Which Will Be Bride of Hero

London, Nov. 2.—(By Mail.)—They're flipping coins for husbands in Scotland according to the latest war wedding story from Bon'ess Firth of Forth. It all happened in the Bon'ess parish church where the publicly announced banns of marriage between an invalided private of the Royal Scots and a young women of the neighborhood caused many whisperings in the congregation. He was not supposed to marry that girl at all. Two Sundays previously his engagement to the other girl had been announced. Of course the true story came out, and here it is:

Prospective Mrs. Royal Scot No. 1 had returned from England for the ceremony. The soldier lover met her at the railway station to apprise her that he'd bought the wedding ring down the road. Invitations were issued. The wedding cake was baked. The nuptial hour arrived. The soldier was ready but his bride did not appear. Hasty communication with bride's home brought word that she and her mother had decided they didn't favor wedding bells an there would be no wedding so far as they were concerned.

This caused no prostration nor grief on the part of the Royal Scot. He observed that there are as good wives in the market as a reasonable man could wish for; and with that he turned to the two comely bridesmaids standing behind him. Both bridesmaids agreed that rather than see a hero of Mons left in the lurch they would volunteer. The cottage down the road and the wedding ring, also the cake, had not long to wait. The bridesmaids agreed to flip a coin to see which one would be the lucky girl. The lucky one, says the report from Bon'ess, was an old sweetheart any-

St. Andrews Episcopal Church

The authorities of the Episcopal church have determined that during the coming Advent season there shall be a nation wide preaching mission in every parish and mission station in the United States.

These services beginning at 7:30 p. m. Monday December 6 and continuing every day for six days will be conducted in St. Andrews Episcopal church Clearfield by Archdeacon Reginald S. Radcliffe.

A question box will be provided, in which questions and requests for prayers. You are cordially invited. All seats free. e.o.d.-3w.

KID WILLIAMS VS. F. BURNS

New Orleans, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—Kid Williams, king of the bantams, will box 20 rounds with Frankie Burns, the Jersey Slasher,

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THE WEATHER
Partly cloudy tonight and ... Except probably snow ... the lakes.

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Congress Convening Today Has Unusual Problem to Solve

National and International Questions To Tax Endurance of Solons During the Short Terms Beginning Today

WILSON'S FATE DEPENDS UPON SESSION

SENATORS BEGINNING NEW TERMS.

DEMOCRATS—Beckham, Ky.; Broussard, La.; Chamberlain, Ore.; Clarke, Ark.; Fletcher, Fla.; Gore, Okla.; Husting, Wis.; Johnson, S. D.; Newlands, Nev.; Overman, N. C.; Phelan, Cal.; Shiveley, Ind.; Smith, S. C.; Smith, Ga.; Smith, Md.; Smith, Ariz.; Stone, Mo.; Thomas, Col.; Underwood, Ala. Total, 19.

REPUBLICANS—Brady, Ida.; Brandegee, Conn.; Cummins, Ia.; Curtis, Kan.; Dillingham, Vt.; Gallinger, N. H.; Gronna, N. D.; Harding, O.; Jones, Wash.; Penrose, Pa.; Sherman, Ill.; Smoot, Utah; Wadsworth, N. Y. Total, 13.

REPRESENTATIVES WHO CAME BACK.

Cannon, Ill.; Hill, Conn.; McKinley, Ill.; Longworth, O.; Sulloway, N. H.; McDermott, Ill.; Wilson, Ill.; Foss. Ill.; Fuller, Ill.; Sterling, Ill.; Rodenberg, Ill.; Loud, Mich.; Dyer, Mo.; Shallenberger, Neb.; Hollingsworth, O.; Focht, Pa.; Miller, Pa.; Crago, Pa.; Lafean, Pa.; Littlepage, W. Va. Total, 20.

HOUSE VETERANS AMONG THE MISSING.

Payne, N. Y., (died;) Bartlett, Ga.; Calder, N. Y.; Bulkley. O.; Neeley, Kan.; Burke, Pa.; Burke, S. D.; Donovan, Conn.; Metz, N. Y.; Henry George, Jr., N. Y.; Prouty, Ia.; Ainey, Pa.; Levy, N. Y.; Bartholdt, Mo.; Knowland, Cal.; Floyd, Ark.; Beall, Tex.; Stevens, Minn.; Palmer, Pa.; Stanley, Ky. Total, 20.

SENATE CHANGES.

NEW—Beckham, Ky., D.; Broussard, La., D.; Curtis, Kan., R.; Harding, O., R.; Husting, Wis., D.; Johnson, S. D., D.; Phelan, Cal., D.; Underwood, Ala., D.; Wadsworth, N. Y., R.

RETIRED—Camden, Ky., D.; Thornton, La., D.; Bristow, Kan., R.; Burton, O., R.; Stephenson, Wis., R.; Crawford, S. D., R.; Perkins, Cal., R; White, Ala., D.; Root, N. Y., R.

THE LINE UP.

SENATE—Democrats, 56; Republicans, 40; Democratic majority, 16.

HOUSE—Democrats, 230; Republicans, 196; Progressives, 7; Socialists, 1; Independents, 1. Democratic majority, 25.

Washington. Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—The first session of the 64th congress convened at noon today in the last congressional meeting before the 1916 presidential campaign. All 435 members of the house and thirty-two senators, (one-third of the whole senate,) were sworn in. Of the former, 116, of the latter, 9, were new.

Resting upon the legislative program of the new congress today was the shadow of national and world politics. Tomorrow the administration's program will be outlined personally by President Wilson when he reads his opening message to the joint session. Its known, big, outstanding features are: National defense, revenue, war measures and government ship purchase.

There is a mass of other legislation comprising the largest, longest an most important program of a decade. Since ... of the 63d con... a score of new ... have arisen in addi... Continuation ... into next summer ... legislators ... in both senate and house galleries, representing the eyes of a hundred million Americans. Today's actual business was confined to the routine of swearing in new members, organization of both houses and notification of the president of the new legislative epoch.

As the gavels fell at the stroke of 12 at both ends of the capitol, officials and spectators were sobered by the gigantic tasks looming ahead. Vice-President Marshall presided in the senate and South Trimble, house clerk, in the lower body pending Speaker Clark's election. After the routine tasks both bodies adjourned until tomorrow to await the President's message, according to ancient and legal precedent.

As complemented today, the result of congressional elections in November, 1914, the Democratic majority in the senate was increased from 13 to 16. In the house it was reduced from 143 to 25. The new senate line up today was: Democrats, 56; Republicans, 40. The new house: Democrats, 230; Republicans, 196; Progressives, 7; Socialists, 1; Independents, 1. The last house had 286 Democrats; 125 Republicans, 17 Progressives and one Independent. For the first time since the 62nd congress the Socialist party was again represented today, Meyer London, of New York, being the member.

Re-election of President Wilson and continued Democratic control of the nation's destinies was conceded by most legislators to hang upon the results of this session. Political flavor was added to the day by the presence in Washington of the Democratic National Committee, which meets tomorrow to decide the time and place of the 1914 Democratic national convention. A week later the Republican National Committee meets here for the same purpose. The reconvening of congress was heralded among all party leaders as marking the opening of the 1916 political campaign.

Both legislative and political interest centered in the administration's billion-dollar national defense program. Whether Democratic opposition would defeat the president's plans and also cause a breach in Democratic solidarty for the next campaign, caused much discussion. Chairmen of the naval and military committees had the bills practically drafted and ready for early introduction.

Presentation to congress today of the annual appropriation estimates insured another billion dollar congress. Increased expenditures for the navy and army preparedness program bulged the requests.

Unusual spectacular features of today's opening ceremonies offset the undertone of profundity. Woman suffrage workers stormed the capitol. Galleries were ablaze with yellow pennants. In corridors and offices, workers buttonholed congressmen. The return to public life today of many Republican political warhorses was another feature. Among those who came back were: Uncle Joe Cannon, Nick Longworth, Cy Sulloway, of New Hampshire, Senator Curtis, of Kansas, and representatives Hill, of Connecticut, McKinley, Sterling and Rodenberg, of Illinois, and Loud of Michigan.

Gallery habitues miss many familiar faces, including those of former senators Root, Burton, Bristow and Uncle Ike Stephenson; and those of representatives Payne, Calder, Bartholdt, Floyd, of Arkansas, Levy of New York, Palmer, of Pennsylvania, Donovan, of Connecticut and Stanley of Kentucky, now governor.

Among others commanding popular attention were: Representative Schall, of Minnesota, the only blind member of the house; Meyer London, the sole Socialist, and Representative Martin, of Louisiana, a Progressive.

An avalanche of bills, resolutions and petitions swamped both senate and house clerks. There were thousands of the bills, on every conceivable legislative subject. Especially noticeable were those proposing various war measures. The government printing office will be unable to handle the landslide of documents for several days.

There was the usual scramble for seats to view the opening. The gallery crush was terrific. An hour before the session opened, practically every seat was filled. The ... opened at 10 A. M., with long lines ...

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DIFFERENT TYPES OF AERIAL BOMBS USED BY FRENCH AVIATORS. THE LARGEST IS USED FOR INCENDIARY PURPOSES

DEPARTED MEMBERS EULOGIZED BY THE LOCAL ELK LODGE

Impressive Ceremonies Held In Lodge Room Sunday Afternoon at 2:30 O'clock

A. L. Cole Orator of the Day—John A. Stock Reads Eulogy for Fourteen Members of Fraternity.

In a solemn and impressive memorial service at the Elk's lodge yesterday afternoon, the memory of fourteen departed brothers of the order was eluogized in fitting ceremonies by members of the lodge in the presence of a large gathering of friends.

A. L. Cole, of Clearfield, delivered the memorial address, taking the place of Col. Hugh Taylor, of Bellefonte, who was unavoidably absent. Mr. Cole dwelt upon the high purposes of the lodge, and visibly impressed his auditors with his exposition of the true spirit animating the organization. He was introduced by A. M. Liveright.

John A. Stock delivered the aulogy for the four members of the order who died during 1915, Walter McJunkin, Aaron P. Dufton, S. T. Orcutt, and John C. Smith, and for John Chapman, who died in November, 1914, but whose death was not known to the local order when memorial services were last held. Mr. Stock's tribute to the departed was feelingly delivered, and well illustrated the beautiful feature of Elkdom which commands that

"The faults of our brothers
We write upon the sands,
Their virtues upon the tablets,
Of love and memory."

Special musical numbers were given by Thayer's orchestra and Miss Mary Mitchell sang a sacred selection in her own splendidly effective manner.

The following program was given:

March, Funebre, from Sonata, Op. 35	Chopin
Susquehanna College of Music Orchestra—H. Clark Thayer, Director	
Sacred Selection, Scenes from Romeo & Juliet	Gounod
Orchestra	
Opening ceremonies	Officers and Members of Clearfield Lodge No. 540, B. P. O. E.
Singing opening ode	Orchestra and Members
Invocation	Rev. J. F. John
Solo	Selected
Miss Mary Mitchell; Accompanist, Miss Martha Iiames	
Memorial Address	Col. Hugh Taylor Bellefonte Lodge B. P. O. E.
Eulogy	John A. Stock Clearfield Lodge, B. P. O. E.
Intermezzo, (a) In the Candle Light (b) Twilight Chimes	Thayer's Orchestra
Closing services	Officers and Members of the Lodge.
Doxology	Rev. Joseph F. John
The Stars and Stripes Forever	Sousa
Thayer's Orchestra	

HENRY FORD LAYS PLANS FOR PACIFYING EUROPE

Names "Peace Committees" From Apostles on Board Oscar II

BY CHARLES K. STEWART
United Press Staff Correspondent

Aboard Peace Ship, via wireless. Dec. 6. — Henry Ford today set in motion the machinery by which he hopes to "bring the boys out of the trenches." Ford began organizing peace committees from groups of clergymen, students, and other classes aboard the peace ship. Even the newspaper men were drafted into service.

Each of these committees will meet a corresponding committee from a neutral country at the coming peace conference. They will work together in crossing an international commission to sit for the remainder of the war and offer peace suggestions. The committee's business primarily will be to give the widest possible publicity to peace suggestions in contrast to the secret methods of diplomats. The international peace commission probably will sit in Copenhagen instead of The Hague because of better cable facilities.

NEW POCKET BILLIARD ROOM OPENED IN DENNING BLOCK

Messrs. Edwards and Davis have opened a new pocket billiard room in the Denning block which is one of the completest establishments of the kind in the country. Four new pocket billiard tables have been installed in a well lighted and ventilated room, which has been remodelled to accommodate the new enterprise. Careful and courteous attention to the wants of patrons insures the new parlor a liberal patronage. Complete furnishings of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender company make the place very attractive to visitors.

LARGE BUCK KILLED THIS MORNING AT GOSHEN CAMP

The Goshen Gun and Rod camp this morning secured the largest deer which has been reported killed this year by local hunters. It is a four pronged buck weighing about 190 pounds.

MINER BREAKS BACK AT CURWENSVILLE SATURDAY

A foreigner by the name of Olson of Sandy Bottom near Curwensville while working in the clay mine of the Bickfkord Fire Brick company had his back broken by the falling of some loose clay, Saturday morning. The injured immediately received medical attention and was taken to his home, where he is reported much improved.

DECEMBER TERM OF COURT CONVENES THIS MORNING

Sixty Nine Cases n the List Including Two Clearfield Cases

The December term of criminal court convened this morning with Judge Bell presiding. There are 69 cases on the list, most of which are of minor importance, the defendants, mostly being charged with larceny. Only two Clearfield cases are found on the list, that of Roy Smith and Edwar Endress, both charged with numerous thefts of chickens.

Most of the day was taken up going over the list and deciding upon the time that each case will be brought up and also picking the grand jury. This afternoon the grand jury was sworn in and started on their work of deciding whether or not the charge against each defendant is a true one.

About two hundred people from all sections of the county are in attendance at this court, most of them having been subpeoned either as witnesses or for jury service.

GARDNER WANTS WAR AND PEACE PARTYS INVESTIGATED

Massachusetts Congressman Would Dispose of "Ulterior Motive" Stories

Washington. Dec. 6. (By United Press) —Congressional investigations of both preparedness and peace propaganda, including the Navy League and American Defense Society was proposed in a house resolutoin presented today by Representative Gardner of Massachusetts, leading preparedness advocate, ...

EXCELLENT TALENT SECURED FOR THIS YEAR'S INSTITUTE

Evening Entertainments to Be Especially Interesting and Instructive

In Securing Talent Two Things Were Kept in Midn—Ability to Instruct and to Inspire Prof. Yoder Will Again Direct the Music.

The Fifty-second annual session of the Clearfield County Teacher's Institute will be held in the New Opera house here, December 20-24. In securing the talent for the week, the committee in charge have tried to get men with both ability to instruct and to inspire, who through the presentation of a greater knowledge and the application of correct methods, will greatly enlarge the vision of all those who attend.

The personnel of the program is made up of instructors and entertainers, with wide-spread reputations as both interesting and instructive peakers. The evening entertainments are especially good this year and will prove very profitable to all those who avail themselves of the opportunity of attending.

The instructors of the week who will speak at the morning and afternoon sessions are forcible speakers and come to this town highly recommended. Dr. Charles H. Judd, of Chicago, Mae E. Schrieber, of Boston, Mass., Harlan E. Hall, of Cumberland, Ohio and Prof. J. W. Yoder of Huntingdon, Pa., will be the instructors of the week.

Monday evening the Weber Male quartette will furnish the entertainment, with a repertory as varied as their audiences. This quartette when it appeared before the Pennsylvania State-Educational association aroused such enthusiasm that it became practically a sensation. The quartette is unwearied in their search for interesting novelties, and will render some of the old favorites, sometimes, in new garb, besides many new and unique numbers which have never been presented by any other company.

Tuesday evening Dr .Edward Amherst Ott will deliver his most Interesting and educational address, "The Haunted House," a practical study in sanity, which will be specially valuable to anyone wishing to improve their own condition. Mr. Ott is the author of several successful books and the inventor of many labor-saving devices and for these reasons, he has a right to speak of creative imagination.

Wednesday evening Prof. Montraville M. Wood, the well known inventor and scientist, assisted by his daughter, Miss Allene M. Wood, will present a demonstrated lecture on the gyroscvope, mono rail car, the ultra-violet ray and many other scientific demonstrations. This lecture will be especially interesting and unique as not one person in a thousand in this country have had the opportunity of witnessing any of these important demonstrations.

Thursday evening "The American Girls" company will give a concert, in which the Indian girl, the Puritan girl, the Colonial girl, the Pioneer girl, grandmother as a girl and our modern girl, will be portrayed in correct manner and costume with music appropriate to her period, played and sung.

Grover McCorkle of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCorkle, of Wolf Run.

Germany Hurries To Frustrate Rnssian Attack in Roumania

105th Legion Moves To Roumanian Border----Greek King Expected to Accede to All Demands of Allies

SERBS ARE RETIRING INTO BORDER

Athens, Dec. 6. (By United Press) —The 105th German legion has been rushed to Ructchusk presumably to meet Roumanians concentrating near that point and to repel an expected movement by Russian troops.

Greek military authorities received word today that Germany is sending heavy artillery to the Roumanian border from the western front.

The Roumanian order commandeering all foreign shipping in Roumanian ports "in the interest of the national defense" was scheduled to go into effect today. Well informed circles here did not consider the Roumanian move as sufficient evidence that Roumania is to enter the war with the allies but admitted the attitude was most puzzling.

King Constantine, it was reliably reported today, is about to assure the allies that their demands will be met in full.

No word of the movement of the Serbian army has reached Athens in press dispatches. Only minor clashes with the teutonic advance guard are now marking the Serbian retirement into Albania.

CHINESE REVOLT AGAINST PROPOSED NEW MONARCHY

Rebels Seize Ship in Shanghai, But Are Put Down by the Regulars

Pekin, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—An attempt to launch a revolutionary movement at Shanghai has been promptly suppressed and the rebels imprisoned, according to official dispatches received here today. The Chinese cruiser Chac-ho has been recaptured from the mutineers who have been placed in irons and will be executed. Land forces easily repulsed an attempted surprise attack on the Shanghai arsenal.

The rebels, Shanghai dispatches state, admitted that their purpose was to start an anti-monarchial movement. When they captured the Chao-ho they expected the crews of other war ships in the harbor to follow them. At the same time it was planned to capture the government arsenal. Both plans miscarried. At daybreak today the land batteries and guns of other warships were trained on the cruiser with threats to sink here. The mutineers then surrendered.

PROFESSOR PREDICTS WORLD WIDE COTTON FAMINE

Urges Great Britain to New Fields in India, Egypt and Soudan

(United Press Correspondence.)

London, Nov. 2.—(By Mail.)—A world-wide cotton famine will follow the close of the war, according to Prof. John A. Todd, department of economics, University College, Nottingham. He urges Great Britain to develop new fields in India, Egypt and the Soudan. He reasons that the temporary fall in prices at the beginning of the war curtailed cotton production and that the renewed demand at the close of the war, combined with a short acreage, will cause the famine. Russia, he says, has shown her wisdom in developing cotton fields in Turkestan and Trans-Caucasia, which adequately supply her. Germany has done the same thing in the Levant to a certain extent. Both the quality and quantity of cotton for Great Britain can be added to in India, Egypt and the Soudan, he says, adding that cotton growing is a good business to get into now.

LOCAL SPORTSMEN KILL LARGE NUMBER OF DEER

Crowds Make Display of Bags in Front of Camps

Local sportsmen, who invaded our native deer covers yesterday had the pleasure of viewing one of the largest bags made of big game season. A fine two inch tracking snow has enabled the nimrods to discover the moset frequented retreats of the coveted buck. Many new hunting camps have been built during the fall and summer, mostly on state forest reserves. Several tents have also been pitched temporarily. Besides the crews of the various camps many "still hunters" may be seen wending their way before daybreak to the native mountains. When a deer is routed huntsmen spring up from all sides as mysteriously as hidden army.

The Big Buck camp proudly display a fine four prong buck; Carr's camp in Dry Hollow have hanging before their lodge two deer, a five prong and a spike; Camp Kelly has a four prong buck and Carr's tent near the Bald Face possess two large bucks, a two and a four prong. Some few camps have made no kills as yet but expect to display some fine specimens before the closing day, the fifteenth.

BUSINESS MEN RECOMMEND LANSBERRY TRANSFER CO.

W. D. Park and G. W. Flanigan two business men of Pittsburg, wish to announce that they had a ... journey through the ... business the nature ... great deal of hauling ... would recommend Lansberry Transfer Co., as they have ... trucks that ... also want to ... for the ... they handle the transfer of any kind of merchandise.

BRITISH PASSENGER LINER ESCAPES FROM SUBMARINE

After Exciting Chase of Five Hours During Which Time She Was Heavily Shelled

London, Dec. 6. (By United Press) —The British passenger liner Japanese Prince escaped from a German submarine after a five hour chase in which she was heavily shelled, the press bureau announced today, also saying that the attack was made recently and that the liner ultimately was brought safely to port.

SERBIANS TEMPORARILY HOLD TEUTONIC OFFENSIVE

Attacks Made by Detachments to the South and East Repulsed

Berlin, Dec. 6. (My United Press) — That the Serbs and Montenegrins have at least temporarily held the teutonic offensive along the Montenegrin and Albanian frontiers was indicated by this afternoon's official statemet. The war office spoke only of attacks by Montenegrins and Serbian detashments to the south and east, but said these attacks were repulsed.

POPE'S PEACE APPEAL

Rome, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—Pope Benedict's allocution to the consistory of cardinals today contained a strong appeal for early peace.

METHOD FOR ADDING FLAVOR TO CHRISTMAS TURKEY

Washington, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—A delectable flavor may be added to the Christmas turkey, goose, chicken or other fowl, Department of Agriculture experts announced today, if the housewife will see that the bird is not fed for 24 hours before it is killed. It also is suggested that the fowl be hung by both feet to be plucked, as holding it in the lap will soil the flesh.

TEACHERS TO BE EXAMINED FOR CONTINUATION SCHOOLS

Examinations to be Held in Seven Cities Throughout the State

Harrisburg, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—The examinations for certificates for teachers in the continuation schools will be held on Saturday, December 11th, at 9 a. m. at the following places: North Industrial School, Pittsburg; High school Altoona; High school for boys, Reading; Technical High school, Scranton, Philadelphia Trades school Philadelphia High school, W...

Applicants for ... certificates for continuation ... will be examined ... English, industrial geography, civics, hygiene for the worker, industrial drawing and industrial arithmetic.

Those examinations will be open to ... teachers who attended the summer school's for the training of teachers for continuation schools and all ... taught one ... and hold a certificate ... in Pennsylvania. Application blanks may be procured from the examiner on the day on which the examinations are held.

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A CLOSED SEASON NECESSARY

However unpleasant may be the consequence of taking the initiative in such a matter, it is clearly up to some resident of the county who is interested in the conservation of our deer heards to begin immediately after the hunting season closes on the fifteenth the circulation of a petition to the board of game commissioners requesting that an absolutely closed season be established in Clearfield county until the present decimated herds are sufficiently increased.

It is possible, indeed probable, that if hunters from other parts of the state did not flock to Clearfield county for the hunting season, there would be deer in plenty for the local nimrods. But it seems that Clearfield has become the happy hunting ground for scores of residents of other counties where the nimrods have had sufficient foresight to ask for a closed season. No good sportsman is inclined to deny these gentlemen the privilege of potting a buck or two when there is an off season at home, but the influx of hunters this year has been to great to be safe for the future of the game.

Local hunters complain that deer have been hunted so unrelentingly in the past few seasons that the older bucks have become wary and take to the shelter of the game preserves with the firing of the first rifle. Doe and fawns in great numbers have been seen, and they are seemingly so conscious of their immunity that they trot the runs unafraid within fifty feet of the hunters. One man who goes to the woods every season said that in two days his camp saw over fifty doe and fawns, but not a single buck.

Despite the earlier reports that deer would be plentiful this season, the kill, compared with the number of hunters who have been in the woods since the first day of December, has been meagre, and it is plainly seen by many who have at heart the best interests of the sport that a closed season is necessary if Clearfield county herds are to be preserved for future seasons.

A NOTABLE WEDDING PRESENT

A few American families of distinction take pride in a remote infusion of Indian blood and included among them is the family of Mrs. Galt, the President's fiancee. What is of present interest in this connection is the fact that the news has reached and greatly pleased the Indians of the far West who are proud to claim kinship with the future First Lady of the Land, the only representative of the aboriginal race of this continent who has ever lived in the white house. As a means of showing their good will and signalizing the blood bond, however attenuated after so many generations, the Blackfeet Indians of the Glacier National Park reservation in northwestern Montana are preparing to send a wedding gift of a priceless set of furs made from the skins of forty-eight animals.

The greatest hunters of the tribe, it is stated, are now hunting down the finest and rarest fur-bearing animals with this commendable purpose in view. The wonderful set of furs will contains not merely recent trophies of the red nimrods but valuable pelts that have been in the possession of tribal chiefs for more than half a century, including a skin of the rare white buffalo which is said to have a legendary sanctity. When this unique set of furs is brought to the white house by Chief Three Bears, who is said to be ninety-six years old. The President's bride will know how to receive it and the aged bearer with all graciousness, and no doubt she will send appropriate messages to the luckless and picturesque race—children of misfortune and romance—with whom she is remotely allied.

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Today's Geographic Study of The Great European War Zone

"Bagdad, as the fencing ground of generations of the most skillful of European diplomats and secret agents, and as one of the most important strategic centers in the Near East, forms the subject of a bulletin just issued by the National Geographic Society, which sketches the great political and economic advantages of the ancient capital of the Mohammedan world, upon which the soldiers of Great Britain are slowly closing. The bulletin reads as follows:

"Bagdad is the dominant city of the eastern part of the Ottoman Empire, yielding little in importance to its great sister metropolis upon the Bosphorus. As Constantinople is the guarding heart and brain of Turkey in the west, so Bagdad is the strength of the Empire's eastern defense. Within its boundaries are the administors, the officers, the supply depots and the bureaus for organization, operation and supply, which constitute the backbone of defense in the whole Mesopotamian division of Turkey.

"The ancient city, moreover, lies upon the naural line of communication between Persia and the West, and between the West and the Persian Gulf. Three ancient caravan routes, one from Khorasan, another up the Euphrates into Syria, and the last up the Tigris into the Armenian plateau and to the Black Sea behind it, were the elements of Bagdad's trading strength in ancient times. Today, its importance is almost wholly bound up in the potential wealth of its surrounding plains, watered by the Tigris and the Euphrates; where among earth's earliest civilizations dawned, flourished, decayed and shrank into oblivion; and its dominating position upon the lines of communication between India, Persia and the West.

"Bagdad the Magnificent is now a decaying city, and the years that have rolled by since Turkish overlordship first began, for Mohammedan lands of the Near East have seen it sink slowly in importance as a mart for international trade, as a station on the path of the rich merchandise caravans from the East and the West, and as the center of a land of abundant harvest. It is still, however, the second city in the Empire, and its loss to the Turk would be relatively almost as great as the loss of Chicago would be to the United States. But more that this, the nation of the West controlling Bagdad, would control the whole fruitful area between the world's two most historic rivers—the Tigris and the Euphrates; would dominate the Persian Gulf; and would exercise a powerful influence in the affairs of southern Persia. Thus, an English conquest here, would place the Empire's northern frontier about India beyond the peril of attack.

"Bagdad has awakened during recent years, and has given its strength to schemes for reclaiming the vast waste areas about it by irrigation. It planned the expenditure of $130,000,000 for the reclamation of 12,500,000 acres, and as an immediate project, it decided upon the reclaiming of a tract of more than 3,000,000 acres. A new order of things began for the time-burdened city in the few years before the outbreak of the war, and hints of the nervous, keen, hasty, modern life of the West were multiplying. The restless beat of the American oil engine was replacing the more deliberate ways of the donkey and heat-oppressed human. Oil wells were sunk in the Karun river region, south of Bagdad, and American well drills were employed. Oil refineries were built here, and modern Bagdad contemplated industries for the manufacture of native materials supplied with this fuel. Before the discovery of oil, Bagdad's industry was hampered by the exhorbitant prices which coal brought in this region so distant from its source of production—$16 and $20 per ton. Bitumen and asphalt lakes and springs abound on the northern reaches of the Tigris, and promise riches to a future Bagdad.

"The city has a population of about 200,000, and is governed by a Pasha who is assisted by a council. The Pasha comes from Constantinople. There is some difference between the ruling Turks from Constantinople and the native Arab population of Bagdad, as the Turks are Sunnites and the Arabs are Shi 'ites. This religious difference has many times prevented harmonious co-operation between the Turk and the Arab.

"The city does an annual trade in normal times in imports and exports of about $15,000,000, buying oil, cheap cottons, shoes and other western manufactures, and selling hides, wool and dates. Germany, England and Russia have been the strongest dealers in diplomacy and commerce at Bagdad.

"The city lies about 500 miles from the Persian Gulf following the course of the river. The Tigris, like the Danube, is the great water highway of an agricultural country, and it is the main artery of Bagded's external traffic. It maintains, in times of peace, steam communication with its port toward the Persian Gulf by means of one British and one Turkish line of steamers. Steamer service on the Tigris ends at Bagdad, though [illegible] the river. Two lines of telegraph, one British and one Turkish, formerly connected this city with Europe, while, to the west, the Euphrates furnishes a water highway through many hundreds of miles, to the northwest. Bagdad and Teheran, for years diplomacy's chief Near Eastern theatres of strategic endeavor, have been places of keenest interest to the foreign offices of England, Russia and Germany. In these two cities, the one the second city of the Turkish Empire and the other the capital of the decaying Persia, the great game of the eastern politics was fought at close range with all the dexterity, which the great Empires could bring to bear. There, thus, attaches to an invasion of Bagdad, an importance far beyond the importance of the city's wealth or its military value."

GLASS OF WATER BEFORE YOU EAT ANY BREAKFAST

Wash Poison From System Each Morning and Feel Fresh as a Daisy.

Every day you clean the house you live in to get rid of the dust and dirt which collected through the previous day. Your body, the house your soul lives in, also becomes filled up each twenty-four hours with all manner of filth and poison. If only every man and woman could realize the wonders of drinking phosphated hot water, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly an aemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions; instead of the multitudes of "nerve wrecks", "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere.

Everyone, whether sick or well, should drink each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds; and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside, because the skin does not obsorb impurities to contaminate the blood, while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

OUR DAILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Gen. August von Mackensen, the famous commander of the German forces in the Galician campaign, born at Haus-Leipnitz, Saxony, 66 years ago today.

Joseph Conrad, considered by some critics the greatest living writer or English fiction, born in Poland, 58 years ago today.

Edward H. Sothern, one of the foremost actors of the American stage, born in New Orleans, 56 years ago today.

Col John S. Mosby, famous Confederate cavalry leader in the civil war, born in Powhatan County, Va., 82 years ago today.

Rear Admiral Victor Blue, chief of the U. S. naval bureau of navigation, born in Richmond County, N. C., 49 years ago today.

Atlee Pomerene, United States senator from Ohio, born in Holmes County, Ohio, 52 years ago today.

Howard Elliott, president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, born in New York City, 55 years ago today.

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BISHOP CAGLIERO APPOINTED TO CARDINALATE BY POPE

First Salesian Priest to be Elevated to This Rank

Washington, D. C., Dec. 6.—Official notification has come from Rome to the papal delegate in this city that at the papal consistory to be held today the Right Rev. Bishop Giovanni Cagliero will be elevated to the cardinalate.

Bishop Cagliero will have been the first Salesian priest to attain to this distincton. The Bishop was one of the first pupils of the Venerable Don Bosco, founder of the Salesian community of missionary priests. He was the first missionary to go into the Salesian community of missonary priests. He was the first missionary to go into Patagonia, where he founded churches and schools and established a branch of the Association of Salesian Co-operators, a canonically erected society, also founded by Don Bosco, to help in maintaining and furthering the Salesian institutes and missions.

The missionary work of Bishop Cagliero was so successful that the Salesians now have colleges, homes, churches, missions, agricultural and trade schools, in every country of Souht America. In the city of Beunos Ayres alone they have more than 200,000 parishioners and several thousand students in their schools.

The Salesian society is a congregation of priests and lay brothers founded for the care and education of destitute children in all parts of the world. Its name was derived from St. Francis de Sales, who was chosen by Don Bosco as the patron of the Salesians. In addition to the priests and lay brothers the society includes the Institute of the Sisters of Mary Help of Christians, an association of nuns who do the same work for girls that the Salesians do for boys. The co-operators give active and material help ot the missionary priests of the society.

The late Pope Leo XIII was one of the co-operators. When inscribing his name as one of them he said to Don Bosco: "Each time that you have to address your co-operators tell them that I bless them from my heart. The purpose of your society being to rescue the young from ruin, bid them unite their heart and soul in aiding you to accomplish this purpose. This expression is one of the most prized in the possession of the Salesian society.

WAR NEWS OF ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

The Germans advanced thirty miles in Russian Poland and claimed to have occupied Lodz. Forty French and British warships were ready to storm the Dardanelles(it was reported.

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Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE

Notice is hereby given [illegible] cation will be made to the Public Service commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by Glen Hope Light, Heat and Power company, for a Certificate of Public Convenience, evidencing the Commission's approval of a sale, assignment, disposition and conveyance of its franchises and all its property, real, personal and mixed to the Penn Public Service Company, the public hearing on which will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg on the 18th day of December, 1915, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

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Rubbers for everybody.

Brown's Boot Shop

Congress Co vening Today has Unusual Problem to Solve

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of people waiting. Admission on the house side was by card only. Each member was given two cards.

Fond mothers, wives and sweethearts of members looked down as the oaths were administered. Feminine finery and furs lent a touch of color to the massed galleries. Women spectators were in the majority. A sprinkling of diplomats occupied their specially reserved galleries. The white house reserved sections were also occupied by members and guests of the president's household. Hundreds of persons couldn't get in.

Senatorial dignity put a damper on demonstrations in the senate. Flowers were sent to the desks of many. The subdued hum of repressed excitement in the senate was in sharp contrast to the clamor and tumult in the house.

Tomorrow, real business will begin. Committee assignments are practically completed and initial measures drafted. First on the program is the extension of the emergency war tax, which expires December 31. This is expected to be followed shortly by the resolution extending present duties on sugar which is scheduled to go on the free list next May.

BIG ISSUES IN CONGRESS' PROGRAM.

National Defense—Navy.

Five-year expenditure, $502,000,000 for ten dreadnoughts, five battle cruisers, ten scout cruisers, fifty destroyers, [illegible] fleet submarines, [illegible] coast submarines, [illegible] men, [illegible] Annapolis [illegible] aviation, [illegible] ammunition [illegible] ment [illegible] eral [illegible] factory, [illegible] tory and increased militia reserve.

Army.

Four-year expenditure of $[illegible], increase [illegible] army to [illegible] militia [illegible] a total [illegible] $20,000,000 annually for coast fortifications and $26,000,000 for ammunition and supplies.

Government Ship Purchase.

From $35,000,000 to $50,000,000 for ships bought or built and operated in trade by government shipping board and available for use as transports in war.

Revenue.

Extension of war taxes another year, possibly adding bank checks; [illegible] duties; [illegible] smaller incomes, [illegible] heritance tax; raised [illegible] large incomes and possible taxation of war munitions.

War Measures.

New penalties for neutrality violations, [illegible] conspiracies [illegible] etc. Pro[illegible] ships from [illegible] of registry la[illegible] foreign manufac[illegible] on Am[illegible]

Conservation.

Water power and [illegible] measures. Government land, coal, gas and oil leasing systems.

Woman Suffrage.

Susan B. Anthony amendment [illegible] in federal [illegible] right of nation-wide suffrage to women.

Prohibition.

Dry amendment to federal constitution and a dry District of Columbia.

Railroads.

Extension of government control with possibly ultimate government ownership. Government supervision of securities. Increased powers for Interstate Commerce Commission. Train safety bill compelling use of steel cars, block signals and other life saving devices.

Telegraphs and Telephones.

Government condemnation and operation of all such lines.

Finance.

Rural land credits and personal rural credits. National budget system, with new system of house supervision. May abolish comptroller of the currency.

Treaties.

Ratify those with Colombia, Nacaragua and Haiti, paying Colombia $25,000,000 as result of Panama Canal acquisition; $3,000,000 to Nicaragua for exclusive rights to canal route, and establishing a 10-year American protectorate over Haiti.

Presidential Term.

Limiting president's tenure to one term of either four or six years.

Primary Elections.

Presidential primaries and abolition of party conventions for all purposes except the drafting of pa[illegible] and nominee ratific[illegible]

[illegible]tion.

Literacy [illegible] for immigrants and also [illegible] exclusion of all Asiatics.

Cloture.

Prevent senate filibustering by rules limiting debate on any given subject.

Philippine and Porto Rican Independence.

Providing both self-government in given time.

Washington, Dec. 6. (By United Press)—Practically all senators were present when Vice-President Marshall convened the Senate at noon. Reference to the grave responsibilities of members was made in the prayer of the chaplain, the Rev. F. J. Prettyman. The 83 senators elected [illegible] escorted to the hall of the senate before the clerk's desk, by their colleagues.

A roll call was then taken showing a quorum present. Senator Kern, Democratic leader, sponsorer resolutions for the appointment of committees notifying the house and the president that the senate was ready for business. Kern and Gallinger Republican leader and oldest member in point of service, were appointed to act with the house committee in this. Another resolution fixed the daily hour of meeting at noon.

Officers of the senate were then elected. James M. Baker was reelected secretary, Henry M. Rose assistant secretary, Charles P. Higgins sergeant-at-arms, and Rev. Prettyman, chaplain.

A message from the house was received by a special committee notifying the senate of Speaker Clark's reelection and the house's organization. Senator Kern [illegible] d and ha[illegible] without opposition [illegible] nothing for the [illegible] house chamber [illegible] President Wilson's opening address.

Introduction of a flood of bills and resolutions was postponed until [illegible] according to senatorial precedent. Also, tomorrow a long list of postal and other nominations will be received from the president. Several hundred nominations have been adjourned, which will now require confirmation by the senate.

HOUSE.

Choice of Champ Clark as speaker was deemed certain when the house was convened by South Trimble, clerk. The blind chaplain, the Rev. H. N. Couden, eloquently referred in his prayer to the difficult problems before the house. The new official membership list of the house was called by Trimble. Election of Speaker Clark followed according to the schedule. His name was presented by Saunders, of Virginia, Democratic caucus chairman; and that of Mann by Greene, of Massachusetts, Republican chairman. The vote was taken by tellers, the members marching up the center aisle to be counted.

Democrats and Republicans alike, with the galleries assisting, joined in the demonstration upon Clark's election. Mann felicitating the opposition on its choice and heading a committee, including Representative Foster and Democratic leader Kitchin, which escorted the speaker to the chair. Clark thanked the house for the honor.

With the speaker administering the oath, the representatives were sworn in state delegations as the roll was alphabetically called by states. Ovations were given when the names Mann, Sannon, Kitchin and othere were called. Swearing in of territorial delegates followed. Leaders Kitchin and Mann presented slates of nominees for the house offices. The following Democrats, chosen by the caucus, were elected: clerk, South Trimble; chief clerk, Jerry South; sergeant-at-arms, Robert B. Gordon; doorkeeper, J. J. Sinnott; chaplain, Rev. H. N. Coudon.

Kitchin presented and had passed by viva voce vote resolutions appointing committees to notify the senate and the president of the house's organization. Another resolution permitted the members to choose their special seats; and another for the rules committee. The resolution providing for the joint session in the house chamber tomorrow, to hear the president's opening address, then was passed. Hundreds of bills, resolutions and petitions poured into the hopper. There were large waste baskets for them. Suffrage resolutions were numerous. Announcement was made just before adjournment of a Democratic caucus tomorrow to ratify committee organisation. Minority members were chosen through Leader Mann.

SUFFRAGISTS WILL PRESENT PETITION TO CONGRESS

Women Arrive From San Francisco With 500,000 Signature Petition

Washington, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—With the opening of congress today noon, suffrage workers made the capital city the field of their activities in behalf of the Susan B. Anthony suffrage amendment to the constitution; and at 12:30 P. M., a great delegation of suffragists was welcomed in the rotunda of the capitol by the house and senate committees on suffrage, led by Senator Sutherland and Representative Mondell.

At 2 P. M., President Wilson received 300 suffrage leaders in the East room at the white house. The campaign for the Anthony amendment will be planned at the week's session of the Advisory Council and Woman Voters' convention beginning Wednesday.

Today's receptions marked the arrival in Washington of Mrs. Sar[illegible] and Miss Francis Joliff from San Francisco, by motor, bearing the 500,000-signature petition asking congress to pass the suffrage amendment. The two were met by representatives from congressional union headquarters and local suffragists in cavalry, infantry and motor divisions. The procession went to the East steps of the capitol, Senator Sutherland and Representative Mondell there received the petitions and spoke briefly. The two women travelers replied.

The suffragists then marched up Pennsylvania Avenue to the white house, where only the leaders were received by the president. The president was told of the petition to congress and that the suffrage women want the Democratic partic party to make an issue of suffrage. Among the suffragists were:

Colorado: Dr. Caroline Spencer, Colorado Springs; Connecticut: Mesdames George Day, of Hartford, William Murray, of New Haven, Annie G. Porritt, of Hartford; Illinois: C. C. Bartlett, of Chicago; Maryland: Emma Maddox Funck, Edward S. Latimer and Townsend Scott, of Baltimore; Michigan: Miss Margaret Fay Whittemore, and Mrs. Eugene Shippen, Detroit; Minnesota: Mesdames A. R. Colvin, of St. Paul, A. H. Bright, Gertrude Hunter and Alden H. Potter, of Minneapolis, and Clara K. Fuller, of Little Falls.

New York: Mesdames O. H. P. Belmont, Harriot Stanton Blatch, John Winters Brannan, John Dewey, Tiffany [illegible] Flore[illegible] Fa[illegible] J. Whit[illegible] Benedict, [illegible] Robert Johnson, of New [illegible] Isabelle Hott, of [illegible] and Mrs. F. R. Hazard, of Syracuse.

Pennsylvania: Mrs. Harriet Dallas, Mrs. Edwin Grice and Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, of Philadelphia; Mrs. Agnes [illegible] Mrs. J. Borden Estes, of Montpelier and Mrs. Mary L. Benedict, of Burlington; Virginia: Mrs. Sophie G. Meredith, Mrs. Percy S. Read and Mrs. W. J. Adams, of Richmond; Utah: Mrs. Margaret Jane Cherdon, of Salt Lake City; District of Columbia: Mrs. Richard Wainright, Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey and others; Delaware: Mrs. Paul du Pont; Wisconsin, the Rev. Olympia Brown.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Delaney and son Charles Jr., left for their home in Altoona after spending Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Piper on Second street.

RHEUMATISM QUICKLY RELIEVED

There is nothing that will stop the agony so quickly and also reduce the swelling as true Mustarine, which every druggist has in an original yellow box at trifling cost. Just rub it on: it warms up the joints in a minute and keeps warm and free from pain and twinges for hours. For Asthma, Sore throat, Chest colds, Pleurisy and Lumbago, true Mustarine acts instantly. Get the genuine made by Begy Medicine Co., Rochester, N. Y. Woodward & McPherson Pharmacy can supply you. 2

ORDINANCE

Authorizing the ROCK RUN LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY, its successors, lessees or assigns to construct, replace and maintain poles, wires and fixtures in the public streets, and alleys of the borough of Burnside, Cleasfield county, Pennsylvania, for the purpose of distributing electrical energy.

BE IT ENACTED AND ORDAINED by the Burgess and Borough Council of the Borough of Burnside, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

Section 1. That the privilege be and is hereby granted to the ROCK RUN LIGHT, HEAT & POWER COMPANY, its successors, lessees or assigns, (hereinafter called GRANTEE), to construct, replace and maintain such poles, wires and fixtures upon, over, through, along and across the public streets and alleys of the said borough, as may be necessary for the purpose of transmitting and distributing electrical energy in and through said borough for any purpose for which it may be now or after used.

Section 2. That all poles erected under the provisions of this ordinance shall be reasonably straight, erected at locations designated by proper officer of said Borough. All cross arms for the suspension of wires shall be placed not less than twenty (20) feet above the grade of the street, except by permisison of the Borough, and all wires shall be properly protected so as not to injure the [illegible] trees through which any pass.

Section 3. That when the the public streets and alleys of said Borough are used for the erection of poles, wires and fixtures under the provisions of this ordinance the [illegible] and surface thereof where disturbed shall be replaced by grantee in as nearly as practicable the condition existing before the erection thereon of said poles, wires and fixtures.

Section 4. That grantee shall be ready to furnish electrical energy in said borough on or before January 1st, 1916.

Section 5. That grantee shall keep and hold said Borough free and harmless from all damages that may arise out of injury to persons or property due to the default, carelessness or negligence of grantee in the exercise of this grant, provided grantee shall have the right to defend all suits against said borough arising therefrom and shall not be liable for any judgment unless due notice of the action and opportunity to defend same shall have been given grantee by said Borough.

Section 6. That grantee shall be governed by all legal ordinances of a general nature, now in force or hereafter enacted by said Borough, not inconsistent with this grant and nothing herein shall be construed as granting an exclusive franchise for the use of public streets and alleys of said Borough.

Section 7. That any ordinance or part of ordinance or said Borough conflicting with the provisions hereof be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as same conflicts with this ordinance.

Section 8. It is hereby understood and agreed that neither the purpose nor intent nor the obligation of this contract if and when approved by the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is such as to impair or in any wise affect the exercise of said Commission of any of the powers vested in it by the Public Service Company law, approved July 26, 1913.

Section 9. That grantee shall pay, upon presentation of bill therefor, the cost of printing and publishing this ordinance and shall file with the secretary of council of said Borough [illegible] the passage thereof.

Enacted and ordained this 15th day of November 1915.

H. B. WETZEL,
President of Council.

JOHN WILLIAMSON
Secretary of Council.

Approved this 15th day of November, 1915.

H. B. WETZEL
[illegible]

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

BY J. A. COLEMAN.

The above slogan in the hands of an astute business man, changed the whole practice of Christmas shopping and stimulated holiday business as nothing else could have done. This man, with the nerve of a Barnum and the judgement of a Wanamaker, grabbed the thought from the public mind and put it into big Black Type where "He who runs may read"—in the newspaper! He backed a popular conviction with his coin and advertised the universal belief that it would be better for everyone concerned if the inevitable Christmas purchases were made at once while stocks were fresh and new and the choice was wide and ample.

The result not only paid the advertiser as it always does—but the whole country profited beside.

This slogan has since slipped into practical use in every corner of commercial America. Excepting perhaps its fellow slogan, "Safety First," which reduced the accident death rate enormously, it has done more good in the world than any business phrase ever coined. It has been the means of discontinuing the time honored practice among large metropolitan department and specialty stores of keeping open in the evening a week or two preceding Christmas Eve. It has enabled manufacturers to prepare their goods and fill orders far enough in advance to insure clear store rooms long before the Yuletide candles were lighted. It prevented the disappointment of millions of Christmas shoppers who were wont in times past to wait for the more attractive novelties which turned up at the last moment. And not the least important, it saved the heartaches of neglected ones who leant upon the broken reed of mere man's thoughtlessness.

That phrase, "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early," was instantly taken up and flashed before the eyes of the world through the medium of its newspaper. Just as every other worth while thing is told this nation of readers by the ever present, constant, reliable, all-knowing morning, evening, weekly or Sunday newspaper. Nothing the world does is done without ITS knowledge, nothing you want the world to know can be made known without its aid. Almost any national manufacturer [illegible] tell you that most of his fame and profit [illegible] newspaper advertising. No newspaper advertiser [illegible] up wisely ever lost money.

The newspaper pays the advertiser. The [illegible] vests in business publicity. The cost of advertising [illegible] phantom Zeppelin—it never lights anywhere. It is a [illegible] made of thin air and a yellow streak. The common supposition that advertising expense is levied upon the consumer is likewise a fallacy. The fact of the matter is that the non-advertiser pays for it out of the business he loses to competitors who do advertise.

Advertising doubles output, halves overhead, divides selling cost and, by making two customers buy where ONLY ONE BOUGHT BEFORE, it creats a hundred per cent. increase in profit—out of which any business man can afford to pay for his own advertising.

MORAL FOR MERCHANTS: Advertise in the Progress and do your Christmas Business early.

OLDEST LIVING GRADUATE OF ANNAPOLIS 92 TODAY

Admiral Upshur to be Congratulated Aztec Club Today

Washington, Dec. 4.—The oldest living graduate of the United States Naval Academy will be ninety-two years old tomorrow. He is Rear Admiral John Henry Upshur, U. S. N., retired, and he expects to celebrate his birthday anniversary with all the vigor of a naval officer on the active list. Open house will be kept tomorrow at the Upshur apartments in the Parkwood, where the Admiral and his wife will receive their many friends. In accordance with an annual custom the members of the Aztec Club of 1847 will call upon Admiral Upshur in a body to extend their congratulations.

Admiral Upshur was born in Northampton County, Va, December 5, 1828. He was a student at William and Mary College, and was graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1848, having previously served on various naval vessels in the Mediterranean, in Brazil and the Gulf of Mexico.

He was present at the seige and capture of Vera Cruz and was promoted to be master in 1855, and lieutenant later in the same year, serving with Commodore Perry in the expedition in opening Japan to commerce. He was a lieutenant of the African squadron from 1857 to 1859, when he was appointed an instructor at the Naval Academy at Annapolis, and was there when the civil war began.

He served two years in the North Atlantic squadron during the war and was present at the capture of Fort Hatteras and Port Royal, S. C., and in minor actions and expeditions on the coast. He was commander of the flagship in the North Atlantic fleet in 1864, and was present at the capture of Fort Fisher in January, 1865.

He commanded flagships of the Pacific and South Atlantic squadrons, and for two years, 1882 to 1884, was commandant of the New York Navy Yard. He reached the grade of [illegible] admiral in [illegible] and was [illegible] Pacific. He retired on [illegible] tion after forty-four years of service, in May, 1885.

Since his retirement Admiral Upshur has traveled the world [illegible] an observer and a gentle critic of other peoples. He walks several miles each day, carries on a large personal correspondence, scorns the use of eye glasses, appreciates a good [illegible] lively in the hotel corridors. The Admiral and Mrs. Upshur spend their winters in Washington [illegible] have their summer residence at Lenox, Mass.

YOUNG WOMAN SUES PROMINENT NAVAL MAN

Newport, R. I., Dec. 6.—A breach of his promise to marry her is alleged by Miss Oral L. Melander of Chicago and New York, against Chief Master-at-arms William H. Schoils of the Naval training station who has a record of 25 years of excellent service, and is close to the age limit of 64 years. The case was called for trial in the superior court here today. Miss Melander sets 25,000 as the cheapest possible price for her injured feelings.

Last summer Miss Melander, who chanced to be visiting in Newport, met the chief petty officer, who was on duty at the Government landing. According to the affidavit of the young woman, who says she is 26, she was fooled by Chief Schoils, who was later found to be married and whose wife was living happily in a little home at Freeport, L. I.

When Chief Schoils went on leave to his home there came a dainty letter which fell into the hands of Mrs. Scools and a letter was written by the wife to Miss Melander, who then became aware, she says, that Schoils was a married man.

Miss Melander is reported to be a nurse. She was ready to fulfill her alleged marriage contract with Chief Schoils, but as there was a wife already, this contract could not be carried out. As all navy [illegible] the government has the right [illegible] lect any or all his [illegible] perhaps [illegible] Schoils believed he was [illegible] such a law.

At any rate, Miss Melander [illegible] forth than on July 31 [illegible] and on divers occasions between July 5 and July 31, Mr. Schoils fraudulently represented himself to be unmarried, to be a man of wealth and fully competent to contract a marriage, and agreed to marry her. As [illegible]

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WANTED [illegible] the Progress [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] family consists of three [illegible] Address Box 5[illegible], Clearfield [illegible]

WANTED — Experienced Dining room girl at the W[illegible] N 30 [illegible]

WANTED—W[illegible] to do at ho[illegible] hours, 4[illegible] Nov. 2[illegible]

FOR SALE

FOR SALE [illegible] Billiard table will be [illegible] taken at once. Inquire [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible] desirable locati[illegible] White "[illegible] of Progress N 16 7[illegible]

FOR R[illegible] Also rooms [illegible] keeping. Inquire [illegible]

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FOR [illegible]

DANCE—Opera House [illegible] afternoon and evening. Subscription [illegible]

DANCE — Opera [illegible] Dutch [illegible]

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SHAPIRO'S

THE "POPULAR" Christmas Store

Store is beautifully decorated all aglow in it's Chrismas Splendor. Stocks are arrayed for easy selection!

Here we specialize in things that men like—so you just can't go wrong on any present that you select in this store.

Here the "What Shall I give him?" Question is readily solved.

And you may rest assured that your gift will be appreciated and your judgment commended, because every man in town knows that all our merchandise offers full values for every dollar spent.

Do Your Christmas Shopping Early

We will be pleased to have you come in and look around. Come in this week and make your selections and we will deliver your purchases any time you say the word.

LOUIS SHAPIRO

Clothing and Shoes

235 Market St. Clearfield, Pa.

Gossip for Tonight's Tea Table

Mrs. Winner, of Weaver street has returned to her home after spending a month with her son Trissler in Kentucky. She stopped in Pittsburg on her way back to see that wonderful protoplay, "The Birth of a Nation."

Tom Allen and Lon Baughman, of DuBois, are in town todayl to attend Civil court.

Miss Amanda Remsnyder entertained a few of her friends Friday evening.

Chief of Police Hugh Jeffrys, of DuBois is in town today on official business.

Mrs. L. M. Garret, of Philadelphia, is visiting her brother Lansing Snyder on Second street.

Mrs. W. C. Hembold has returned from a vsit with her son Arnold in Pittsburg.

John Sharkey, of DuBois, is attending to business matters in town today.

James Morris, of DuBois, is in town today on business.

Walter Sohn of Harrisburg, is visiting his fiancee Miss Anne Norris.

H. A. Moore, of DuBois, is attending to business matters in town today.

Miss Elizabeth McBlain is entertaining Tuesday evening at her home on Market street.

Frank Kritzer, of DuBois, is attending to business in town today.

William Baum, of DuBois, is visiting friends in town today.

Dan Rhinesmith was able to go to work today after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. S. C. Stewart has issued invitations to a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Second street.

Charles Sullivan, of DuBois, is attending to business in town today.

James Roney, of DuBois, is attending civil court in town today.

Miss Lois Feglye of Grampian, attended the show "Adele" on Saturday evening.

Huston Hartswick, who is working at Surveyor Run spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hartswick.

Miss Leona Traister, of DuBois, was in town today, en route to Harrisburg.

Miss Fannie Castle and Miss Ruby Beaman sang a beautiful duct at the Trinity M. E. church yesterday.

CURWENSVILLE

Wier Bloom was a Clearfield visitor Saturday.

Misses Hole and Loderman of the Clearfield hospital force visited with friends in tow nover Sunday.

Roll Thompson, of Clearfield, had business in Curwensville Saturday morning.

Miss Esther Doughman, of Grampian was o Curwensville visitor Saturday afternoon.

Miss Alice Shaffner was a DuBois visitor Saturday.

Messrs. James Maxwell and Dan Irvin and Misses Alleine Blakek and Margaret Karstetter attended the show at Clearfield Saturday night.

The Brotherhood of the M. E. church, had charge of a meeting yesterday afternoon at the Centennial services of the M. E. church at Center.

Chas. Stone was a Clearfield visitor Saturday evening.

Freeman Woods is spending a few days in town at present.

Mrs. H. G. Guelker was a Clearfield visitor Saturday afternoon.

Capt. Shelow had businses at the county seat Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Daugherty, of Nashville, Texas, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty on the South Side.

George Leech, of Altoona visited relatives in town over Sunday.

Rev. Parkhill gave his illustrated lecture on "Syria"" last evening at the Presbyterian church before a large congregation.

BUYING DAYS from NOW UNTIL CHRISTMAS

The Big Crowd

AT

ROBINSON & CO'S

(CLEARFIELD)

Inauguration Sale

Is the talk of the town

Hundreds of People Were here attending this Big Sale Friday and Saturday the opening days. Everybody was happy. All were glad to get the Big Bargains Robinson & Co. handed out. The Store looked like a bee hive. Hundreds upon Hundreds are still coming, it's Worth While for Such Big Bargains are seldom given the public in the month of December

TODAY, MONDAY, DECEMBER 6

Robinson & Company are selling Men's 50c Rich Socks at

25c

Besides the other great bargains in other goods.

TOMORROW, TUESDAY, DEC. 7

Robinson & Company are going to sell Men's 50c Overalls, all sizes, at

29c

And Loads of Great Big Bargains in Clothing for Men, Women and Children. Loads of Great Bargains in Shoes, Rubbers, Underwear, and Great Big Bargains in Women's, Misses and Children's Coats, Suits, Furs, and Dress. A Rousing Big Sale Where Your Money Can do Wonders.

The Pass Word by all Now is Robinson & Co's. Inauguration Sale. Come, Hurry and get Your Share.

ROBINSON & CO.

Clearfield, Pa.

[illegible] FIGHT AGAINST VACCINATION STARTED

E. V. Cooke, Author and Poet Heads Anti-Vaccination Faction

(United Press Correspondence.)

Cleveland, O, Dec. 6.—Once more is Edmund Vance Cooke, poet and author, at the head of a hot anti-vaccination fight in Cleveland. To vaccinate or not to vaccinate is the question being disputed by the parents and other relatives of Cleveland's 80,000 unvaccinated boys and girls of school age. There are 90,000 schoolchildren here altogether. A report issued by the Cleveland Foundation school survey committee, opposed to Cooke's faction, predicts a repetition of the 1902 small pox epidemic in which 224 persons died, unless the 1912 city ordinance requiring all school children to be vaccinated, is enforced at once.

Cooke led the anti-vaccination fight in 1910, winning it after a hard fight. He resumed the fight immediately the question came up again. His contention is that as many deaths results from the effects of vaccination as result from the disease, to prevent which the vaccination is performed.

"The preventive is as bad as the disease," said Cooke today, "and right now, when there is no epidemic, is the time to settle this question once and for all." For failure to enforce the ordinance, School Superintendent Frederick may be fined $200 and imprisoned for sixty days, in each case, which would make about 8,000 years for him to serve if he does not vaccinate the children and the ordinance is strictly enforced.

ENORMOUS FORTUNE WOULD BE RECEIVED BY RAILROADER

Chain Letter Sent Out Asking Aid for Railroad Employee

(United Press Correspondence.)

Fort Worth, Dec. 6.—A chain letter asking aid for the former [illegible] passenger agent of a big American railroad, sent to railroad officials throughout the country, inspired Traveling Freight Agent C. R. Calvert, of the Yazoo & Mississippi to write the following to the Chicago official back of the move

"I have received your chain letter [illegible] requesting aid for an old comrade who has broken down in the harness and I cheerfully contribute. [illegible] I [illegible] that it is requested [illegible] the chain [illegible] continued up to No. [illegible] Allowing for error in multiplying such large figures, I find there [illegible] 970,947,263,625 letters written, which will be about 5,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 for each man, woman and child in the world. Now, if favorable replies are received to these letters, as expected, I figure that Bill will get about $868,197,749,111,631,866,830,380,709,472,656.25. This confirms your statement that 'sufficient sum will be raised to make Bill comfortable while he is with us,' unless he lives an unusually long time. The twenty letters already sent should bring Bill something like $4,768,371,582,031.35, and I think he should try and worry along on that, even if he has worked for a railroad."

BICYCLE RACE BEGINS TODAY

New York, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—Twenty-two teams are entered in the six-day bicycle race which is to begin at Madison Square Garden today.

Everybody Now Reads Ads.

By BREEN.

The time is gone when the newspaper reader passed over the ad. section.

Ads. today are eagerly read. A well worded ad. is entertaining. It is enlightening. It tells the reader something. It may be termed unselfish. The advertiser has something you want. True, he wants something from you. It is up to you to decide.

In homes all over the country newspaper ads. are read and digested. The housewife reads them. So does the big business man.

Don't be a dog in the manger. Advertise your wares.

DAILY LESSON IN HISTORY

One Hundred Years Ago Today

1815—Six hundred houses were destroyed and nearly 700 persons killed by the explosion of a magazine at Dantzie.

Seventy-Five Years Ago Today

1840—Thousands of persons assembled along the road from Cherbourg to Paris to view the passing of the remains of Napoleon.

Fifty Years Ago Today

1865—Georgia ratified the 13th amendment to the federal constitution.

Twenty-Five Years Ago Today

1890—Justin McCarthy and forty-four others withdrew from the meeting of Irish Nationalst members of Parliament and organized as a separate party.

Buy Direct and Save Money.

DOUBLE SERVICE AUTO TIRES

Guaranteed 7000 Miles Service

Proof Against Puncture

Double the thickness of the best standard makes of tires average 10 or 12 layers of Strong fabric, plus nearly one inch of tough tread rubber. 100 per cent. greater wearing depth and double the mileage, besides being practically puncture-proof.

Unequalled for severe serivce on rough and rugged roads, hard pavements and other places where tire troubles cannot be tolerated. Ride as easy as an ordinary pneumatic —air space and pressure being the same.

Used in U. S. government and European war service. Our output si limited, but we make the following low special Introductory Prices:

		Tires	Tubes			Tires	Tubes
30x3	in	$8 60	$2 30	36x4	in	$17 45	$4 85
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32x3½	in	12 75	3 20	36x4½	in	22 50	5 75
33x4	in	15 75	4 20	37x4½	in	23 6[illegible]	6 20
34x4	in	1[illegible] 70	4 35	37x5	in	26 50	6 60

Two or more 10 per cent discount —non-skids 10 per cent additional. All sizes—any type. Remit by draft, money order or certifed personal check; acceptance of order optional with consignee.

price list mailed on request.

DOUBLE SERVICE TIRE & RUBBER CO.

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CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.

Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

LADIES! DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Use Grandma's Sage Tea and Sulphur Recipe and Nobody Will Know

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, gray hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and abundant. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is mussy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," you will get this famous old recipe which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and falling hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through you hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears. and after another application or two, it becames beautifully dark, glossy, soft and abundant.

TO UPBUILD COMMERCE

New York, Dec. 6.—In response to a call issued by the National Association of Manufacturers representatives of financial and commercial bodies throughout the country gathered in this city today for a three-day conference to discuss various problems arising from the war in Europe The subjects to which particular attention will be paid are commercial credits, foreign exchange, ocean and inland transportation and commercial treaties.

NOTICE

Will the party who took the overcoat (by mistake) from Jordon's restaurant [illegible] return [illegible] and get his own coat? Call at [illegible]'s desk, Jordan's restaurant N 29 3t

Miss Ella Evelyn Seeley of Reynoldsville [illegible] hand painted china on exhibition and for sale at Woodward and McPherson's drug store December 3, 4 and 6th. All are invited to call and see

NEW METHOD OF CHOOSING A HUSBAND IN SCOTLAND

Two Girls Flip Coin to Decide Which Will Be Bride of Hero

London, Nov. 2.—(By Mail.)—They're flipping coins for husbands in Scotland according to the latest war wedding story from Bon'ess Firth of Forth. It all happened in the Bon'ess parish church where the publicly announced banns of marriage between an invalided private of the Royal Scots and a young women of the neighborhood caused many whisperings in the congregation. He was not supposed to marry that girl at all. Two Sundays previously his engagement to the other girl had been announced. Of course the true story came out, and here it is:

Prospective Mrs. Royal Scot No. 1 had returned from England for the ceremony. The soldier lover met her at the railway station to apprise her that he'd bought the wedding ring down the road. Invitations were issued. The wedding cake was baked. The nuptial hour arrived. The soldier was ready but his bride did not appear. Hasty communication with bride's home brought word that she and her mother had decided they didn't favor wedding bells an there would be no wedding so far as they were concerned.

This caused no prostration nor grief on the part of the Royal Scot. He observed that there are as good wives in the market as a reasonable man could wish for; and with that he turned to the two comely bridesmaids standing behind him. Both bridesmaids agreed that rather than see a hero of Mons left in the lurch they would volunteer. The cottage down the road and the wedding ring, also the cake, had not long to wait. The bridesmaids agreed to flip a coin to see which one would be the lucky girl The lucky one, says the report from Bon'ess, was an old sweetheart any-

St. Andrews Episcopal Church

The authorities of the Episcopal church have determined that during the coming Advent season there shall be a nation wide preaching mission in every parish and mission station in the United States.

These services beginning at 7:30 p. m. Monday December 6 and continuing every day for six days will be conducted in St. Andrews Episcopal church Clearfield by Archdeacon Reginald S. Radcliffe.

A question box will be provided, in which questions and requests for prayers. You are cordially invited. All seats free. e.o.d.-3w.

KID WILLIAMS VS. F. BURNS

New Orleans, Dec. 6.—(By United Press.)—Kid Williams, king of the bantams, will box 20 rounds with Frankie Burns, the Jersey Sheeter,

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